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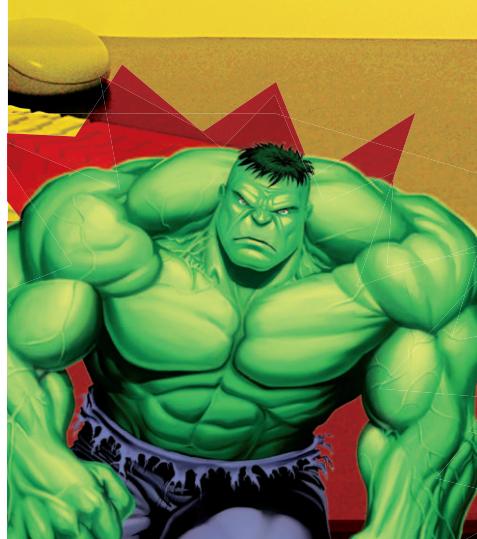
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## BREAKING NEWS

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## Grand theft auto

Catalytic converters have become a gold mine—or, rather, a platinum mine—for the thieves who swipe them from cars.

Converter thieves slip under vehicles with battery-powered saws to hack out the converter for the valuable metals inside. The thefts were only a sporadic problem nationally until about a year ago, but they have grown to a near-epidemic, said Frank Scafidi, a spokesman for the National Insurance Crime Bureau.

No comprehensive national totals are available, but other numbers show why the crime is on the rise—and how it affects victims. [AP]

## &gt;&gt; HOTTER COMMODITY

Five years ago, platinum traded for about \$608 per troy ounce (a metal measurement slightly larger than a common ounce), and palladium went for \$208. Platinum now goes for \$2,083 per troy ounce, and palladium draws about \$468 on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

## &gt;&gt; WILLING BUYERS

Scrap yards usually pay \$50 to \$100 per converter, but industry experts say the price varies among buyers, said Bruce Savage, a spokesman for the Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries.

## &gt;&gt; PAYING THE PRICE

Converter replacement costs are much higher, ranging from about \$200 for a universal model to \$1,000 or more for one from the vehicle manufacturer.

# High definition

## Merriam-Webster's gets more than 100 new words

**Associated Press**

Is it acceptable to serve edamame to a dinner guest who's a pescatarian?

Should you pour prosecco or soju for the winner of the Texas Hold 'em game you're planning near the infinity pool?

Before your next party, go ahead and consult the latest edition of Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, which now includes edamame (immature green soybeans), pescatarian (a vegetarian who eats fish) and about 100 other newly added words that have taken root in the American lexicon.

The wordsmiths at the Springfield, Mass.-based dictionary publisher say they picked the new entries after monitoring their use over years.

"As soon as we see the word used without explanation or translation or gloss, we consider it a naturalized citizen of the English language," said Peter Sokolowski, an editor-at-large for Merriam-Webster. "If somebody is using it to convey a specific idea and that idea is successfully conveyed in that word, it's ready to go in the dictionary."

Many of the new entries reflect the nation's growing interest in the culinary arts, including prosecco (a sparkling Italian wine) and soju (a Korean vodka distilled from rice). Others define new technology or products, such as infinity pool—an outdoor pool designed to make water appear to flow into the horizon.

And then there's "mondegreen." In a category of its own, it describes words mistaken for other words. A mondegreen most often comes from misunderstood phrases or lyrics. It comes from an old Scottish ballad in which the lyric "laid him on the green" has been confused over time with "Lady Mondegreen."

An example: "There's a bathroom on the right" in place of Creedence Clearwater Revival's "There's a bad moon on the rise."

# NBC keeping close eye on Olympic viewers

**Associated Press**

NBC is using the Olympics as a "billion-dollar research lab" to get a sense of how people are using different media platforms to experience the Beijing Games that begin Aug. 8.

Besides giving advertisers a clearer picture of how much consumers are paying attention to the games, NBC hopes its research provides a comprehensive picture of how people are supplementing TV viewership with tools such as video streaming, video on demand and mobile phones, said Alan Wurtzel, the company's research chief.

NBC has scheduled 3,600 hours of Olympics programming on its main network, along with Telemundo, USA, Oxygen, MSNBC, CNBC



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### A vintage year

When did Merriam-Webster first find the word "dirty bomb" used in an English-language publication? Text "word" and the number of your answer to 47383. You'll get a message in return telling you if you got the answer right or wrong.

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### Making it official

Merriam-Webster has added more than 100 new entries to its new edition of the Collegiate Dictionary. Here are some more, along with the year in which Merriam-Webster first found them used in an English-language publication:

- » **Air quotes** (1989): gesture made with the fingers to call attention to a spoken word or expression.
- » **Fanboy** (1919): boy who is an enthusiastic devotee, such as of comics or movies.
- » **Jukebox musical** (1993): musical that features popular songs from the past.
- » **Mental health day** (1971): day that an employee takes off from work to relieve stress or renew vitality.
- » **Supercross** (1983): motorcycle race held in a stadium on a dirt track having hairpin turns and high jumps.
- » **Webinar** (1998): live, online educational presentation during which participating viewers can submit questions and comments.

and Bravo. That's the equivalent of eight days of programming packed into each day.

In addition, the company is planning to make 2,200 hours of streaming video available on [nbcolympics.com](http://nbcolympics.com). Consumers may also get video on demand via their computer and Olympics content through their mobile phones.

With the help of outside companies and its own research staff, NBC is using about 10 methods for measuring the audience.

NBC has contracted with Quantcast Corp. to get a sense of who is using [nbcolympics.com](http://nbcolympics.com). Besides video streaming, computer users are being offered reams of Olympics data, blogging of live events and gaming.

### SURVEY TIME

NBC is conducting an online survey of 500 consumers each day, a total of 8,500 throughout the 17-day games, to ask detailed questions about how much they are using different media platforms.

NBC also will be working with another company, Integrated Media Measurement Inc., that will distribute special cell phones to consumers. They will measure, through a signal included in Olympics audio, how much people are exposed to Olympics programming when they aren't at home.

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ANISTON AND MAYER  
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## Sign of the times

John Mayer flew into O'Hare last Monday from the U.K. for a string of Midwest shows through Sunday, when he performed at the Rothbury Festival in Rothbury, Mich.

Mayer arrived in Chicago without his new girl, Jennifer Aniston, and signed autographs for a few fans at the airport, a source told me.

However, Mayer and Aniston were spotted together days later. On Wednesday night Aniston was spotted with Mayer at Summerfest in Milwaukee, where he performed, and in St. Louis—another tour stop—on Thursday.

While they were in St. Louis, fans approached the lovebirds for autographs as they boarded his tour bus. I'm told that Mayer said he wasn't going to sign, and when they asked Aniston she looked to Mayer for an answer. A source said Mayer told her she could do as she pleased. Well, Aniston was the better friend that day: She signed for the hopeful fans!

## Beatle birthday



Happy birthday, Ringo Starr.

It's Starr's birthday Monday, and the famous Beatle is scheduled to celebrate in Chicago at the Hard Rock Hotel.

All he needs is love: Starr is expected to be at the hotel's entrance at South Water Street and Michigan Avenue at noon Monday to host a "peace and love" moment.

In a press release, Starr detailed what he would like for his birthday gift. "Just peace and love. It would be really cool if everyone, everywhere, wherever they are at noon on

July 7 make the peace sign and say, 'peace and love.'"

Hotel staffers plan to pass out complimentary pieces of birthday cake from Perfect Peace Cafe & Bakery at the open celebration.

## Josh-ing around

Josh Kelley performed at Hotel Indigo last Monday night, and my intern, Julie Corirossi, got a chance to chat with the rocker, who plans to work on a new album this month.

Kelley talked about his recent vacation to Mexico with wife Katherine Heigl of "Grey's Anatomy." "It was awesome," Kelley said. "We ate a lot."

He said Heigl still is struggling to quit smoking. "I know eventually she would like to quit, but she will do it on her own time."

Heigl didn't make it to Chicago with Kelley—she has been filming "Grey's."

## SIGHTINGS

I caught up with "Hancock" star Johnny Galecki at Underground's Rewind party on Thursday night. My friend and I asked him what it was like working with Will Smith, and he had nothing but nice things to say about him. "He's a fine, fine man," Galecki said. >> Barack Obama and wife Michelle recently had dinner at Spaggiaglia. ... Josh Kelley had lunch at Blue Water Grill on Tuesday. >> NBA star Chris Duhon celebrated Independence Day at Martini Park on Friday. >> Diddy was spotted at the Trump International Hotel & Tower on Saturday night. >> Jesse Jackson strolled down Rush Street on Saturday afternoon.

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# SO LONG, STRESS

**In a bleak economy, people are feeling as stressed as their wallets**

By Alexia Elejalde-Ruiz

REDEYE

After Chris Noble injured his back two years ago helping to unload a freight truck at the electronics store where he worked, the former college track athlete suffered docked wages, chronic back pain—and overwhelming stress.

Earning two-thirds his former salary through workman's compensation checks that didn't always come when they were supposed to, the Arlington Heights man felt the crush of the bleak economy. With a wife and two kids his cut wages were "just enough to buy groceries on sale." His prospects for finding a new job seemed dim.

As the stress mounted, Noble said he found himself quick to snap, speaking louder and behaving more hostile than normal. He had trouble sleeping. He got headaches.

"I realized, 'If I don't do something, I'm going to go postal,'" Noble, now 34, said. "It wasn't healthy for me, it wasn't healthy for my relationships."

With home values plunging, gas and food prices surging and layoffs straining an already tight job market, people are feeling as stressed as their wallets.

Seventy-five percent of Americans say they are stressed about money, according to a poll conducted in April by the American Psychological Association. Fifty-six percent of respondents said they're stressed about housing costs, and 48 percent about job stability.

Clinical psychologist Nancy Molitor said she has had an influx of patients coming to her with financial worries.

"I've never seen this much broad-based reaction to a stressful situation," said Molitor, who has a practice in Wilmette. "This is affecting people on an ongoing basis, and when it becomes a chronic situation it has much more pervasive and long-term effects."

## COVER STORY

Debt stress is 14 percent higher this year than it was in 2004, according to an Associated Press-AOL poll released in June, and people say it is affecting their health.

Among people who reported high debt stress, 27 percent reported digestive tract problems, 44 percent reported headaches and 51 percent reported muscle tension, according to The Associated Press. People with low debt stress were far less likely to report those symptoms.

If stress goes unchecked, it can be dangerous.

Stress, which tends to come when one feels out of control, causes the muscles to tense up, arteries to constrict and the hormone cortisol to be released in the body. When you produce

a lot of cortisol for long periods of time, your body, like a car going 85 mph, goes on overdrive and gets exhausted, said Kathleen Hall, founder and CEO of The Stress Institute in Atlanta.

Prolonged stress is a risk factor in a host of illnesses, including heart disease, high blood pressure and diabetes. It can exacerbate asthma, gastrointestinal problems, headaches and allergies, Molitor said. Some studies show it could be a predictor of Alzheimer's.

Worried his stress was getting the best of him, Noble turned to The Stress Relief Center in Northbrook.

Howard Weissman, the center's founder and a clinical psychologist, uses alternative medicine techniques—breathing, meditation, the unblocking of chakras and repairing of leaking chakras—to identify stressors people may not even be aware they have.

"I teach them to go within themselves and use the powers in their own mind to quiet the thoughts and transform it into energy that moves them in a new direction," Weissman said.

Noble, who has been seeing Weissman



### UNDER PRESSURE

The sour economy is adding pressure to an already stressed-out town. Chicago ranked No. 6 this year on a list of most stressful metropolitan cities—beating even New York—based on factors such as unemployment rates, commuting time and air pollution, according to BizJournals, which did the ranking. O'Hare was declared the most stressful airport this year in U.S. News and World Report's Airport Misery Index, which took into consideration the number of delayed flights and occupied seats on planes.

once a week for the past six months, said the techniques have kept him from flying off the handle and have allowed him to remain functional despite his back pain and financial angst.

Taking control of the stress is key to combating it, Weissman said.

"If you don't do anything, it'll always get worse," he said. "It's the inaction that creates the stress."

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**1 Listen to music.** Research shows that listening to music increases the brain's serotonin, a neurotransmitter that has a calming effect. Any music works except for heavy metal, which has actually been shown to produce more stress.



**2 Laugh.** Laughing literally loosens you up. Stress reduces the diameter of your arteries by 35 percent; laughing increases artery diameter by 22 percent, lowering blood pressure.

**3 Tell yourself how awesome you are.** Memorize a short affirmation—"I am strong," for example—and repeat it to yourself a few minutes every day. Research has shown that people who repeat affirmations to themselves have lower cortisol levels than those who don't.

**4 Exercise.** Experts recommend at least 30 minutes of exercise every other day for stress reduction. If you're at work and think you might snap before getting to the gym, walk up and down the stairs, or try deskercises to relieve the tension. The University of California lists some good ones at [uclivingwell.ucop.edu/deskercise](http://uclivingwell.ucop.edu/deskercise).



# 16 WAYS TO BEAT STRESS

It's common for the frazzled to seek comfort in a stiff drink, a cigarette or a pile of junk food. But after the immediate gratification, too much of any of those vices can actually increase stress, studies show. Psychologists Howard Weissman and Nancy Molitor; Stress Institute CEO Kathleen Hall; and life coach Ruth Klein, a.k.a. "The De-Stress Diva," suggest healthier ways to reduce stress. [A.E.R.]

**5** **Fill up on omega-3 fatty acids.** Found in white fish, fish oil and canola oil, among other foods, omega-3 fatty acids are important in neuron membrane development and have been shown to benefit people with depression, cardiovascular disease and other illnesses. They can be taken as supplements.



**6** **Eat breakfast every day.** Make sure every breakfast contains some protein, which helps sustain energy.

**7** **Have a meal with a good friend at least once a week.** When we sit across from someone we know, our bodies produce oxytocin, which is a calming hormone.



**8** **Eat foods rich in vitamin B6,** which increases the release of the calming brain chemical serotonin. B6 is found in bananas, turkey, tuna and sweet potatoes, among other foods.

**9** **Breathe.** This is an important one. When you're stressed, your breaths become quick and shallow, limiting oxygen to your brain and making you feel foggy. Breathing deeply has been shown to clear your head and lower blood pressure.



**10** **Perform a mini meditation.** For one to three minutes, close your eyes—or if you can't close them because you're at work or driving, focus your eyes on something—then take several deep diaphragmatic breaths, and repeat an affirmation with each deep breath. You also can do this with a string of beads, breathing and affirming as you touch each bead.

**11** **Drink chamomile tea.** Chamomile has been shown to act as a mild sleep aid, digestive aid and anti-inflammatory.

**12** **Soak your feet in water with Epsom salt.** Epsom salt can be absorbed through the skin to increase levels of magnesium and sulfates in the body. Raising magnesium levels is believed to help reduce stress, improve circulation, lower blood pressure and flush toxins out of the body.

**13** **Find your pressure points.** If you have a headache on the left side of your head, apply pressure to the web between your thumb and forefinger on your right hand. Don't squeeze; just push in. If the headache is on the right side of your head, apply pressure to your left hand.



**14** **Inhale lavender.** Research has shown that lavender calms and soothes people's moods and can help insomnia and anxiety. Boil lavender oil in water, inhaling the steam for aromatherapy. It also comes as massage oils, lotions and candles.



**15** **Knit.** Knitting has become a trendy way to de-stress in recent years, with more than one in three American women saying they knit or crochet, a 51 percent increase from 10 years ago, according to the Craft Yarn Council of America. Knitting has been found to reduce heart rates by 11 beats per minute and lower blood pressure, according to a study from Harvard Medical School Mind/Body Institute.

**16** **Make a checklist of all the behavior changes you plan to make to reduce stress.** For example, write down that you will do 20 sit-ups every morning, have lunch away from your desk, call a friend to meet up for dinner, find a financial planner, etc.—and then check off the items as you do them.

## POWERPOINT

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## Drunk on Drank

As Americans down energy drinks to keep them peppy, a new beverage aims to help people relax.

Drank, launched by Houston-based Innovative Beverage Group in January, bills itself as an "anti-energy" drink. The grape-flavored soda contains valeren root (a natural sedative), rose hips (high in Vitamin C and used to treat nervousness) and melatonin (the hormone that tells your body it's time to sleep).



After drinking a third of a 16-ounce can of the purple concoction recently, my roll was definitely slowed.

Inspired by the "slow, smooth style" of the hip-hop community, Drank claims to "slow your roll."

After drinking a third of a 16-ounce can of the purple concoction recently, my roll was definitely slowed.

My eyelids grew heavy; my thinking felt sluggish. This is not a beverage to drink on any empty stomach as soon as you get to work in the morning.

I drank a large coffee to get myself out of La-La Land, and even then I felt an unusually strong urge to curl up and nap.

Company spokesman Kenny Davidson said he sometimes drinks a Drank before bed to help him sleep through the night. There are no side effects, he said, though the can warns that the beverage can cause drowsiness.

To Stress Institute CEO Kathleen Hall, who had not heard of Drank before I told her about it, such products are not a good de-stress solution.

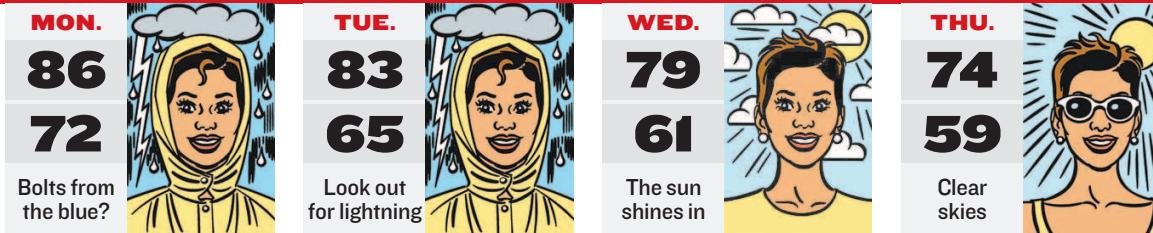
"You are relying on something outside your body," Hall said. "You need to think of [stress management] as a long-term strategy."

Drank is now available in 37 cities in Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana and Nevada. The company hopes to bring Drank to Chicago this summer, Davidson said.



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## GETTING AROUND

### Fewer speeding tickets, but the same old rules

By Jon Hilkevitch

CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Q: I read in the Tribune that the 45-mph construction zone speed limit is in effect at all times, regardless of the presence of workers. I tried this out on the Reagan Memorial Tollway (Interstate Highway 88). Plain and simple, I was the only person driving 45 mph. What is the truth, please, and is it your perception that the average driver has no understanding whatsoever about construction zone speed limits?

—DOUG SNYDER, CHICAGO

A: There has been a whopping 34 percent decline this year in the number of speeding tickets that state troopers have issued on Chicago-area expressways (from 4,938 to 3,275), according to new data Getting Around obtained from the Illinois State Police.

The sharp drop-off in citations, prompted by fewer troopers working speed-enforcement details, has likely boosted the perception among lead-footed drivers that the chances of getting caught are slimmer than ever.

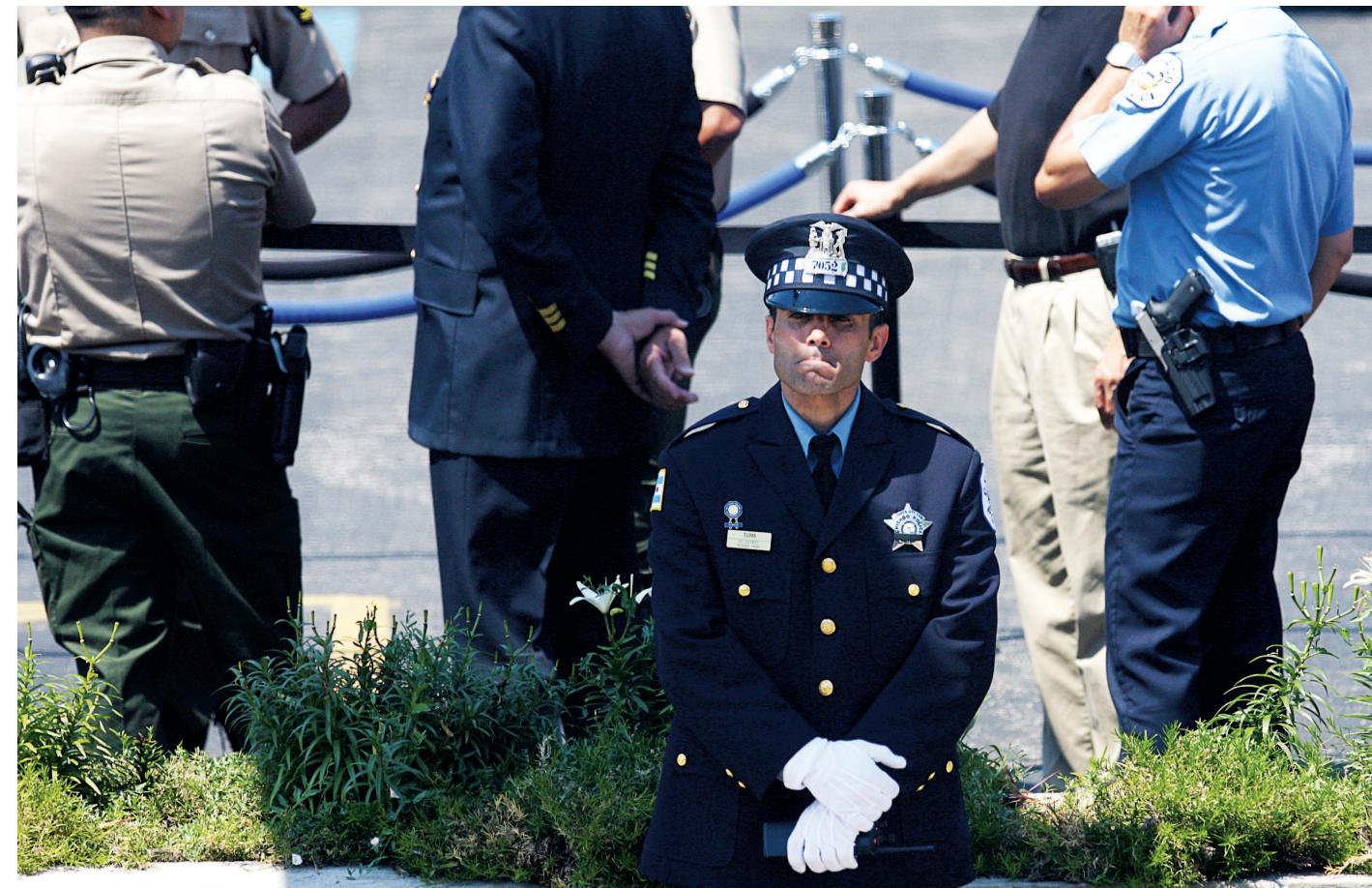
Illinois law clearly states the 45-mph zone is for the duration of a project—24 hours a day, seven days a week. The reason is that in many cases, lanes have been temporarily narrowed, traffic configurations change and construction equipment is working or parked nearby, according to the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Q: I drive on I-294 every day from 127th Street to Ogden Avenue and I noticed in the construction zone they put up some type of solar towers spaced about a mile apart. Are they there to help catch speeding drivers?

—TOM MARX, BENSENVILLE

A: The towers are indeed radar devices, but they aren't being used to nab speeders, according to the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority. Rather, the equipment is part of the tollway's remote traffic monitoring system, which is used to generate travel time information, said toll authority spokeswoman Joelle McGinnis.

The technology uses sensors to enhance the tollway's ability to detect accidents and clear disabled vehicles off the road quickly, she said.



Mourners line up Sunday at a wake for Officer Richard Francis, killed in the line of duty last week. [E. JASON WAMBSGANS/TRIBUNE PHOTO]

# 'They lost a good cop'

Colleagues, civilians pay their respects to fallen Officer Richard Francis

### Chicago Tribune

In the sweltering heat of a July afternoon, they lined up Sunday outside a funeral home on the Northwest Side in dress uniforms and flak vests, in short-sleeve patrol shirts and dark suits.

Arriving in squad cars and unmarked vehicles, some of the police officers took a break from their duties on the street to pay respects to a fallen colleague, Richard Francis, 60, who was shot and killed on the job early Wednesday morning.

If officers acknowledged that he wouldn't be the last police officer killed in the line of duty, then they and others seemed quietly determined that he wouldn't be forgotten.

Hundreds of men and women in blue from Chicago and suburban departments, as well as civilians and firefighters, stood for more than an hour outside Cooney Funeral Home on Irving Park Road before the slowly moving line wended inside for Francis' wake. One volunteer said that many officers refused bottles of water as they waited, talking quietly and sharing stories about the vet-

### FUNERAL SET FOR MONDAY

The funeral mass for Officer Richard Francis will be said at 11 a.m. Monday in St. Monica Catholic Church, located at 5136 N. Nottingham Ave. in Chicago.

eran cop nicknamed "Buzz." Francis was approaching retirement when, police say, he was shot to death by a 45-year-old woman with his own revolver.

Among those in attendance was Officer Tom Tinsman, 62, who works in a gang unit on the South Side.

"He was a good cop," said Tinsman, even though he never met Francis. "If he wasn't, he wouldn't be dead. He responded to that call, and he responded by himself."

"The citizens, they're the ones who are going to suffer," he added. "They lost a good cop."

Francis, a 27-year veteran of the department, was on a seemingly routine assignment, and on patrol alone, when he was shot and killed in a struggle with a woman who had caused a disturbance with a

CTA bus passenger less than a block from his Belmont District police station, officials have said.

Robin Johnson was charged with one count of first-degree murder of a police officer, four counts of attempted murder of a police officer and one count of disarming an officer, according to the Cook County state's attorney's office. Several members of the woman's family said she has suffered from seizures for about seven or eight years, and they described her as a peaceful woman who becomes violent only after one of her episodes.

She was hospitalized in stable condition Friday after being shot by responding officers early Wednesday. Her condition Sunday was not available.

Mitch Masalski, who was a Chicago police officer for 35 years, said he worked for a time with Francis when they were both in the 18th District.

As he emerged from his friend's wake, he said it was good to see so many civilians paying respects. "If you're going to give your life, it's nice to know people support you," he said.



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## CHICAGO

FROM NEWS SERVICES

# Taste of Chicago attendance exceeds 3.5 million

The Taste of Chicago wrapped up its 27th run Sunday, a 10-day party marked by steady attendance and multiple shootings, which prompted police to swarm Grant Park and use new high-tech surveillance equipment to monitor the event.

The festival drew 3,560,000 people, city officials said, a figure that pleased organizers who earlier wondered how soaring fuel prices and the sagging economy would affect this year's crowds.

"We heard a lot about people staying put," said Cindy Gatzilis, spokeswoman for the Mayor's Office of Special Events. "But suburbia is filled with a bunch of people who want to vacation in Chicago. ... People make a plan, and this is an annual tradition for a lot of families."

Gatzilis said festival-goers also did not seem deterred by reports of violence near the event, noting that Saturday and Sunday were among the festival's busiest days.

"I believe Taste is safe," Gatzilis said, noting that visitors agreed based on "the crowd we saw over the last few days."

Five people were shot—one fatally—over the 4th of July weekend near the lakefront festival grounds. The latest was a 22-year-old man hit during a fight at about 12:45 a.m. Saturday at 77 N. Michigan Ave.

At the close of the Taste on Sunday, volunteers from the Greater Chicago Food Depository were expected to collect

an unprecedented 5,500 pounds of unused food from event booths. The collection, which has followed the Taste for more than 10 years, would be distributed to 600 soup kitchens, pantries and shelters across Cook County, said Bob Dolgan, director of communications for the depository.

"It's just a very, very positive way for everybody in our community to share in the great celebration of food at the Taste of Chicago," Dolgan said.



## On a sad anniversary, a mother's hope

Tracy Bradley (second from left) prays Sunday at a vigil in Chicago for daughters Diamond and Tionda, who have been missing since July 6, 2001. Diamond was 3 and Tionda was 10 at the time of their disappearance. [KUNI TAKAHASHI/TRIBUNE PHOTO]

### Two killed after car hits tree

Two people were killed and three others injured early Sunday when the vehicle they were riding in struck a tree on the South Side. Spencer Watters, 17, of the 600 block of West 70th Street, and Gerrod Smith, 28, who had no known home address, died when the vehicle hit a tree in the 700 block of West 69th Street about 6:40 a.m., said Officer JoAnn Taylor.

### Police fatally shoot man on Southwest Side

A man fatally shot by police early Sunday on the city's Southwest Side may have killed a 21-year-old man shortly before, police said. Detectives believe the man killed by police, whose age and identity were not released Sunday, was involved in the death of James Sorensen, police spokeswoman Monique Bond said. The man killed by police had a criminal background that included weapons charges, Bond said.

### Cops: Man pointed weapon at officer

A man who was shot and wounded by Chicago police Friday night after he allegedly pointed a gun at an officer was charged Sunday with aggravated assault to a police officer. Police say Julian Morgan, 18, of the 1400 block of West 114th Place, fled a car pulled over in a routine traffic stop, and as a police officer chased him, pulled a handgun and aimed it at the officer.

## Blue Line work to delay riders to O'Hare

Summer air travelers who use the Blue Line to get to and from O'Hare will face an inconvenience for most of July.

Beginning Tuesday, Blue Line trains will go no farther than the Rosemont stop, the last one before the airport, because of work on the tracks.

A 24-hour shuttle bus will begin running between the Rosemont station and O'Hare at 3 a.m. Tuesday. Normal train service is scheduled to resume July 28.

The work is being done as part of the CTA's plan to eliminate slow zones. Crews will replace deteriorated rails and ties, tie plates and spikes in a project that will allow the CTA to lift slow-zone restrictions.

### SIDEWALK WORK DOWNTOWN

Work on a \$23 million sidewalk-improvement project along Wabash Avenue moves to a section between Harrison Street and Roosevelt Road on Monday. Two lanes in each direction on Wabash will remain open between Harrison and Roosevelt, the Chicago Department of Transportation said. Access to all businesses and buildings will be open during the project.

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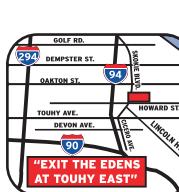
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## NATION/WORLD

FROM NEWS SERVICES

## 1 Bush's quiet B-day

Wedged between Independence Day and the G-8 summit of world leaders in Japan, President Bush's 62nd birthday was marked on Sunday with a quiet gathering aboard Air Force One. The leaders of the G-8 countries plan to meet on Monday.

## 2 Fatal bombing

Iraqi police and medical officials say a bomb killed the head of a U.S.-allied Sunni group south of Baghdad. Police say Ali Abdul Ridha al-Badri was killed Sunday after meeting with U.S. forces.

## 3 Storm strengthens

Tropical Storm Bertha is approaching warmer waters in the Caribbean and is likely to strengthen during the coming days. Forecasters in Miami say Bertha is expected to strengthen and could become the Atlantic season's first hurricane.

## 4 HIV testing urged

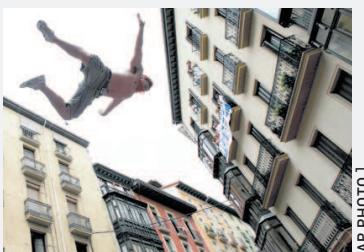
Magic Johnson's normally publicity-shy wife Cookie is appearing with the former L.A. Lakers star in a five-year, \$60 million public service campaign with ads directed by filmmaker Spike Lee that urge black women to get tested for HIV.

## 5 Kerry jabs McCain

Democratic Sen. John Kerry criticized Republican presidential contender John McCain Sunday on CBS' "Face the Nation," accusing him of using bad judgment to support the Iraq war. Kerry had courted McCain as a potential running mate in 2004.

## 6 Bulls draw crowd

Thousands of people crowded into Pamplona's main square Sunday, and some jumped from city property to celebrate the launching of a rocket that each year marks the beginning of Spain's famous bull-running festival.



## AND FINALLY ...

» The American Academy of Pediatrics is recommending that some children as young as 8 be given cholesterol-fighting drugs to ward off future heart problems » Gunmen opened fire on people leaving a mosque in Somalia's capital on Sunday night, wounding one of the country's senior U.N. officials, a witness said » A plane carrying a load of auto parts crashed Sunday in Mexico, killing the pilot and seriously injuring the co-pilot



A Pakistani police helmet lies on the ground Sunday after a bomb exploded in Islamabad. [AP PHOTO]

# At least 15 killed in Pakistan blast

7 ISLAMABAD, Pakistan A suicide bomber targeted police officers in Pakistan's capital of Islamabad on Sunday, killing at least 15 people and wounding dozens while thousands of Islamists marked the one-year anniversary of a deadly military crackdown on a mosque nearby.

The blast again brought Pakistan's battle against militancy, mainly staged in the northwest tribal regions near Afghanistan, home to the usually tranquil capital.

The attack occurred in an intersection near a police station and a shopping center. Just moments before the explosion, an Associated Press reporter passed by the scene and saw more than 20 police gathered there. Afterward, the area was covered in

## ATTACK'S PERPETRATOR UNCLEAR

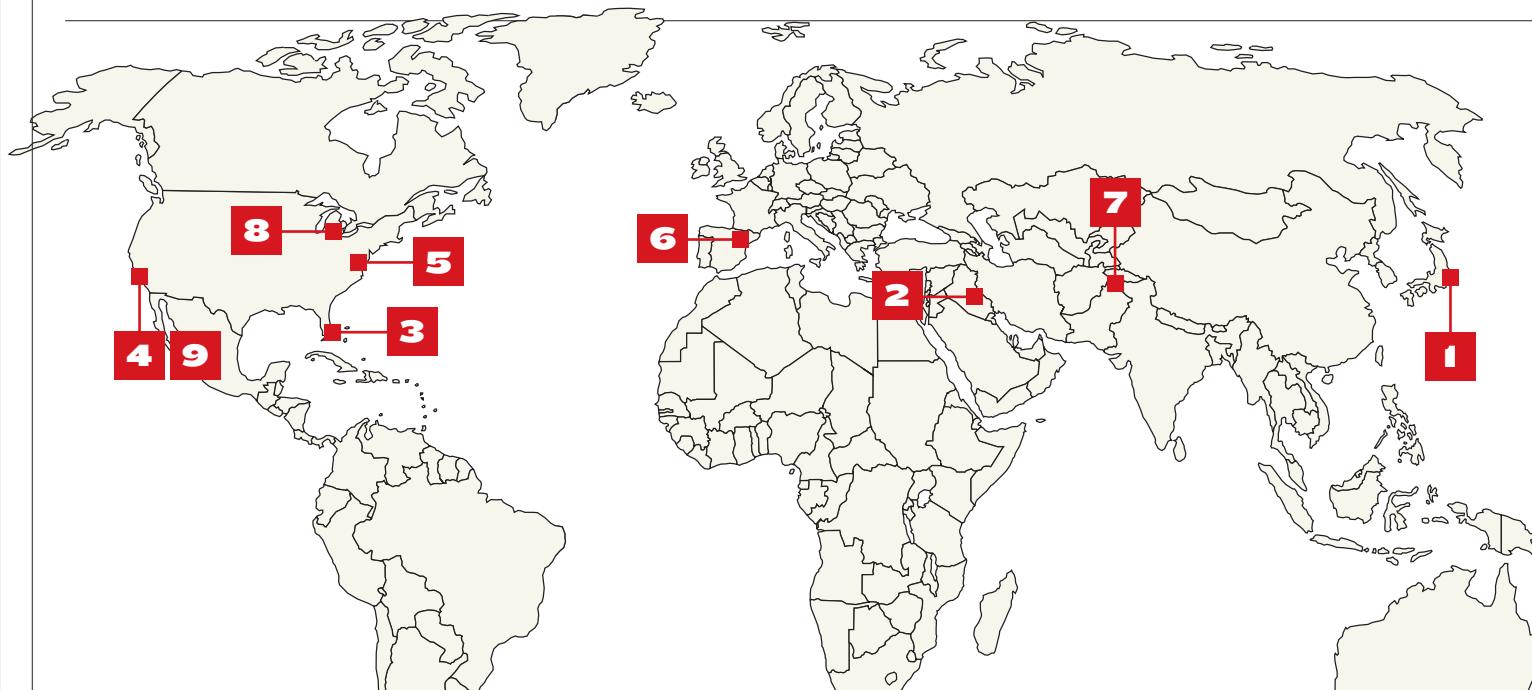
The latest attack came after recent threats of revenge from Pakistani Taliban leaders angered by a paramilitary operation against insurgents in the northwest. A Taliban spokesman could not immediately be reached for comment.

blood, glass, police riot gear and body parts.

Naeem Iqbal, a police spokesman, said at least 15 people died, most apparently police.

Less than a half mile away, thousands of Islamist students and clerics had gathered in memory of last year's siege of the radical, pro-Taliban Red Mosque.

It was not clear if the events were linked.



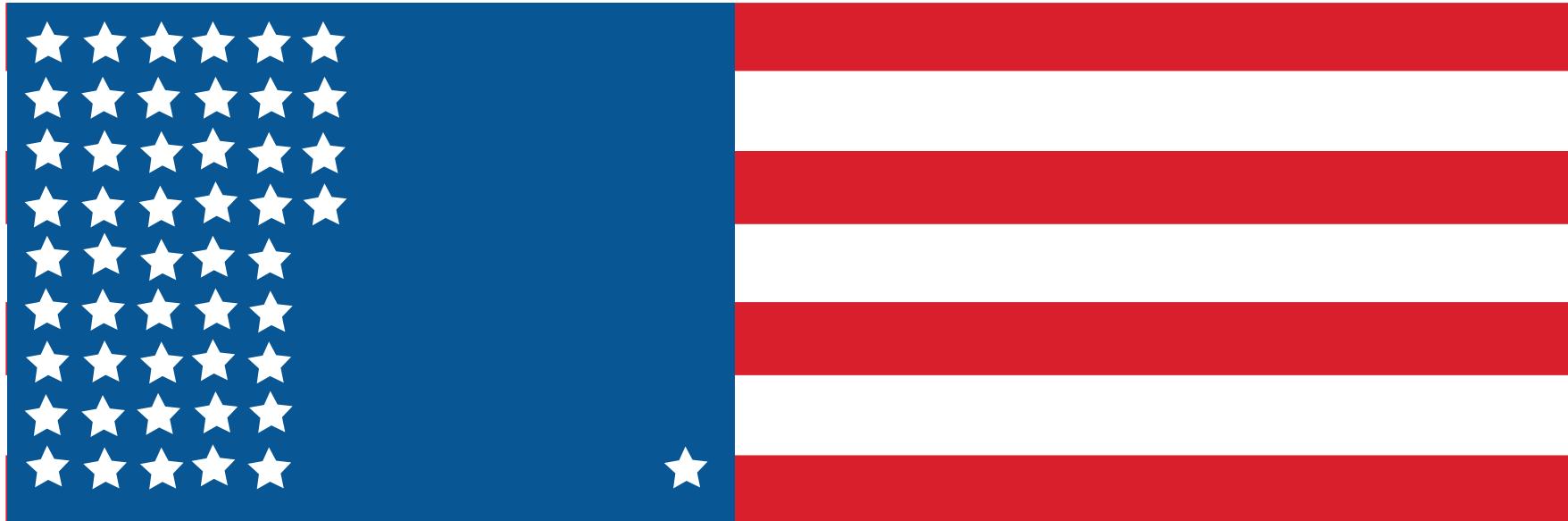
## THE DIGIT

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8 EAU CLAIRE, Mich. Brian "Young Gun" Krause has out-spit his father to claim his seventh championship at the International Cherry Pit Spitting Championship. Krause's winning spit on Saturday was 56 feet, 7 1/2 inches. That's about half a foot better than his father, the second-place finisher and defending champion, 54-year-old Rick "Pellet Gun" Krause of Tuba City, Ariz., who spit 56 feet, 1 inch.



9 LOS ANGELES A firefighter throws a flare onto a hillside during a backburn operation in Big Sur, Calif. Cooler weather on Sunday gave a boost to crews battling the wildfire that was threatening nearly 2,700 homes in Santa Barbara County. [AP PHOTO]



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# iSPORTS

## Cubs All-Stars better play like they mean it

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No excuses. There's seven of them going. To my knowledge, that's practically a whole team.

All of them deserved it, no complaints here. I'm saying this right now, though. The winner of the game gets home field in the World Series, so if you want to avoid Game 7 in Tampa Bay (where no one wins), then pull out all the stops.

## SACKED AGAIN

By Bag Boy

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The one that floors me is the Geovany Soto selection.

My first reaction is that with that name, he should be driving a racecar.

My second reaction is "He's the first rookie catcher ever? Really? And he's a Cub?" I'm really not sure what planet this is anymore.

I say at this point, you gotta play Alfonso Soriano. I mean it. All the stops.

Quick uniform note: Love the navy blue hats to celebrate the 4th of July. Let's please make those the regular road hats. It looks so much cooler than the weak hat with the red bill. Yes, I'm a fashionista.

By the way, I had previously been thinking of an all-Chicago World Series, but I've tempered that.

I'm not sure if temper is a word, but what I am saying is there is something weird going on in Tampa-St. Petersburg, 2003 Florida Marlins weird. Very scary.

Anyway, let's bring it back home. Hey, hats off to the White Sox and their two All-Stars, Joe Crede and Carlos Quentin. Both are a credit to overachievers everywhere. Not that I would know.

Hey, quick note here on the South Siders. It was brought up in a publication this past week that Steve Stone may replace Darrin Jackson in the TV booth.

First off, that idea was floated by yours truly when the Sox got Stone.

Secondly, yeah baby. Look, I have great respect for DJ, he's grown into the job, and he plays nice with Hawk. But, I'm sorry.

We're talking the absolute best in the business here. We're talking someone who will make Hawk Harrelson better, instead of letting him be just a homer who mopes when things go bad, chews out umps and a crazy man when things are great.

To the radio booth DJ. Ed Farmer awaits.

Also, I hear Brett Favre is coming out of retirement. Let's get him.

We need a quarterback (surprise), and I already know he's better than anyone we've got.

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## 2008 ALL-STAR LINEUPS

# SEVEN SENT

**Cubs set franchise record with All-Star haul; Sox to send Crede, Quentin**

### Chicago Tribune

**ST. LOUIS** With a franchise-record seven All-Stars on the National League squad, the Cubs have a chance to help themselves secure home-field advantage in the World Series.

"Let's hope we win," said Kerry Wood, who was named as a reliever after being chosen as a starter in 2003. "We may have a chance to benefit from that later this year."

Of course, the Cubs have to get there first, and they haven't done so since 1945.

But with rookies Geovany Soto and Kosuke Fukudome in the starting lineup and with Wood, Carlos Zambrano and Ryan Dempster in the bullpen, Aramis Ramirez on the bench and the injured Alfonso Soriano in a probable cheerleading role, the Cubs will be represented well at Yankee Stadium.

"Seven out of 31," manager Lou Piniella said. "That's a nice number."

The previous Cubs record was six All-Stars, in 1936 and '88. It's also the first time in club history that three pitchers have been named to the team and the

first time since 1937 the Cubs have had three players in the starting lineup. Catcher Gabby Hartnett, second baseman Billy Herman and outfielder Frank Demaree started that year.

As for the White Sox, third baseman Joe Crede and outfielder Carlos Quentin were chosen for the first time, and Jermaine Dye is on the fans' Internet ballot.

The Cubs players were overjoyed by the selections, particularly Dempster, who may have broken the record for use of the word "awesome" in a two-minute span after being named on the players' ballot with Ramirez and Wood.

Fukudome, a four-time All-Star in Japan, said he was honored and surprised that the fans thought enough of him to vote him in as a starter in his first season in the majors. Since Soriano is unlikely to play while recovering from his broken hand, Fukudome might play center field between Milwaukee's Ryan Braun and a sub for Soriano.

"I'd be happy to play anywhere in the outfield, and I'm looking forward to having some fun," Fukudome said through a translator.

### AL STARTERS

POS	PLAYER	TEAM
C	Joe Mauer	Minnesota
1B	Kevin Youkilis	Boston
2B	Dustin Pedroia	Boston
SS	Derek Jeter	New York Yankees
3B	Alex Rodriguez	New York Yankees
OF	Josh Hamilton	Texas
OF	Manny Ramirez	Boston
OF	Ichiro Suzuki	Seattle
DH	x-David Ortiz	Boston
DH	y-Milton Bradley	Texas

### AL RESERVES

**CATCHERS** Dioner Navarro, Tampa Bay; Jason Varitek, Boston **INFIL** Joe Crede, *WHITE SOX*; Carlos Guillen, Detroit; Ian Kinsler, Texas; Justin Morneau, Minnesota; Michael Young, Texas **OUTFIELD** J.D. Drew, Boston; *Carlos Quentin, WHITE SOX*; Grady Sizemore, Cleveland

### AL PITCHERS

**STARTERS** Justin Duchscherer, Oakland; Roy Halladay, Toronto; Scott Kazmir, Tampa Bay; Cliff Lee, Cleveland; Ervin Santana, Los Angeles; Joe Saunders, Los Angeles **RELIEVERS** Joe Nathan, Minnesota; Jonathan Papelbon, Boston; Mariano Rivera, New York; Francisco Rodriguez, Los Angeles; George Sherrill Baltimore; Joakim Soria, Kansas City

### NL STARTERS

POS	PLAYER	TEAM
C	Geovany Soto	CUBS
1B	Lance Berkman	Houston
2B	Chase Utley	Philadelphia
SS	Hanley Ramirez	Florida
3B	Chipper Jones	Atlanta
OF	Ryan Braun	Milwaukee
OF	Kosuke Fukudome	CUBS
OF	Alfonso Soriano	CUBS

### NL RESERVES

**CATCHERS** Russell Martin, Los Angeles; Brian McCann, Atlanta **INFIL** Adrian Gonzalez, San Diego; Cristian Guzman, Washington; Albert Pujols, St. Louis; Aramis Ramirez, CUBS; Miguel Tejada, Houston; Dan Uggla, Florida **OUTFIELD** Matt Holliday, Colorado; Ryan Ludwick, St. Louis; Nate McLouth, Pittsburgh

### NL PITCHERS

**STARTERS** Aaron Cook, Colorado; Ryan Dempster, CUBS; Dan Haren, Arizona; Tim Lincecum, San Francisco; Ben Sheets, Milwaukee; Edinson Volquez, Cincinnati; Brandon Webb, Arizona; Brian Wilson, San Francisco; *Carlos Zambrano, CUBS* **RELIEVERS** Brad Lidge, Philadelphia; Billy Wagner, New York; *Kerry Wood, CUBS*

X-VOTED STARTER; INJURED, WILL NOT PLAY  
Y-SELECTED REPLACEMENT STARTER



**ROOKIES** Kosuke Fukudome (top) and Geovany Soto are headed to the All-star game in their first season with the Cubs. [GETTY IMAGES, TRIBUNE PHOTOS]

## CHICAGO'S ALL-SNUB TEAM



**John Danks**  
WHITE SOX  
No Sox pitchers made it, and that includes Danks, who outpitched Rich Harden on Sunday and is third in the league in ERA. "I knew I was kind of a long shot anyway because the wins are not there," Danks (6-4) said. "But the team wins are."

**Jermaine Dye**  
WHITE SOX  
Dye is one of the AL candidates for the 32nd and last spot in Internet voting, along with Jose Guillen (Kansas City), Jason Giambi (New York), Brian Roberts (Baltimore) and Evan Longoria (Tampa Bay).

**Bobby Jenks**  
WHITE SOX  
The closer is nursing a sore left shoulder.

**Mark DeRosa**  
CUBS  
The second baseman was second in fan voting at his position.  
[TRIBUNE, REDEYE]

**POLL POSITION**  
CHICAGOSPORTS.COM ASKED: "WHICH WHITE SOX DESERVED TO BE SELECTED?"

**JERMAINE DYE**

**33.0%**

## CUBS 7, CARDINALS 1

# Cubs bounce back after crushing loss

**ST. LOUIS** Kerry Wood's ninth-inning collapse did not linger for the Cubs.

A day after their closer allowed three runs in a disappointing loss, the Cubs took Wood out of the equation. Chicago banged out 16 hits and got strong starting pitching in a 7-1 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals on Sunday.

"Those things happen," manager Lou Piniella said. "They happen a few times a year and the problem is you don't like 'em when they happen. We bounced back, and now we can enjoy our day off a little more."

Aramis Ramirez had two hits and three RBIs and Sean Marshall won his first game of the year with six strong innings, keeping his spot in the rotation heading into the All-Star break. The Cubs concluded a 4-6 trip, their longest of the year, on a high note by extending their Central lead to 3 1/2 games over the Cardinals and Milwaukee.

Geovany Soto hit his 15th homer and Derrek Lee had three hits and an RBI for the Cubs, who took two of three in the series.

## CUBS HITS

The weekend series was sold out with standing-room attendance of 46,752 for the finale and the three-day total of 140,067 was the most ever at 3-year-old Busch Stadium.

► Sean Marshall (1-2) won for the first time in five starts dating to last season, allowing one run on six hits in six innings.

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**SNUB CITY** Which Chicago player was the biggest All-Star snub?

Text "snub" and the number of your answer to **47383**.

(1) Gavin Floyd (2) Bobby Jenks (3) Mark DeRosa (4) Jermaine Dye

## SOX HITS

After a day off Monday, the White Sox leave the comfort of U.S. Cellular Field, where they have baseball's fourth-best home record at 32-13, and head to the road, where they are less than stellar at just 19-24.

► Rehabbing  
IB Paul Konerko was 3-for-5 with five walks and two RBIs in his first two games at Triple-A Charlotte. Konerko is expected to rejoin the team Tuesday.

► DH Jim Thome tied Mike Schmidt for 16th place all time in walks by drawing his 1,507th Sunday.



**Nick Swisher scores on a sacrifice fly Sunday.** [AP PHOTO]

## SOX 4, ATHLETICS 3

# Sox stay hot, Twins get hotter

The White Sox just concluded an 8-2 homestand and still are in first place in the AL Central. Neither is a small accomplishment, considering the competition.

They maintained their one-game lead over the Twins, baseball's hottest team, who have won 16 of 18 games. Minnesota rallied with a three-run seventh inning to beat Cleveland 4-3 Sunday.

The Sox won three games on the homestand against pitchers with a combined record of 25-3 at the time, including Oakland's Rich Harden, whom they beat 4-3 Sunday.

Harden had been 5-0, the Cubs' Ryan Dempster 9-2 and Cleveland's Cliff Lee 11-1 when the Sox beat them, though Lee was not charged with the loss.

"Huge," catcher A.J. Pierzynski said. "Eight-and-two is a great homestand. We played well against three pretty good teams. (Harden) is about as good as it gets." [TRIBUNE]

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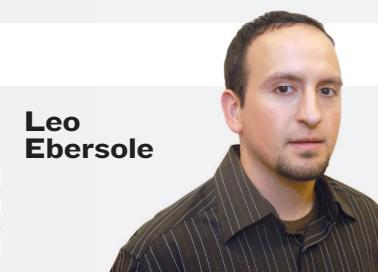
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**Jimmy Greenfield**



**Phillip Thompson**



**Leo Ebersole**



**Brian Moore**



## TOPIC 1: WHO'S YOUR BIGGEST ALL-STAR GAME SNUB AND WHY?

What more could Larry Biittner do?	Evan Longoria. Worse yet, Eva Longoria Parker.	Rick Ankiel should be in New York. In fact, Cubs fans will gladly pay the shipping. No backsies.	It's not an All-Star Game without Barry Bonds. Who represents 'roided-up jerks?	Come on, no Jermaine Dye? Do you Sox fans even know how to log on?
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## TOPIC 2: HOW DID RAFAEL NADAL FINALLY END ROGER FEDERER'S FIVE-YEAR REIGN AT WIMBLEDON?

Spanish Fly.	Clearly it was his liberal use of wristbands and muscle shirts. Thanks, Serena.	He put his racquet on the same drug schedule as Big Brown.	With Federer riding a high on grass (courts), Nadal took over when Roger left for munchies.	I smell sabotage! By the way, where's Tracy?
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## TOPIC 3: HOW WILL VENUS WILLIAMS' WIMBLEDON VICTORY OVER SERENA AFFECT THEM AS SISTERS?

They'll never speak again.	The betting between them gets out of control. Next time: Loser has to move to the WNBA.	Serena will shun her until realizing she could make the same money filming a 30-second ad.	No more late-night bonding over hair-braiding and chick flicks.	They start giving each other the silent treatment. Then we all win!
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## TOPIC 4: PRESIDENT BUSH PLANS TO ATTEND THE OLYMPIC OPENING CEREMONIES. WHAT COULD GO WRONG?

He could tell reporters how happy he is to be in Japan.	I'm 100 percent certain he will call the Chinese premier "Mr. Stinky Fish Face."	No one will be brave enough to correct him when he calls the host country "Panda Express."	With any luck, the Olympic torch will set him on fire.	If you think he has trouble with American words ....
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## TOPIC 5: HOW DID YOU SPEND YOUR 4TH OF JULY WEEKEND?

Spent it eating, socializing and worrying about the Cubs.	Watching Will Smith put out his best 4th of July movie since "Wild Wild West."	I partied like Vikings. The warriors, not the football team. No houseboats involved, I swear.	I spent some time with family and friends, namely "WALL-E" and "Hancock."	July 4: Partied in Vegas with Joe Francis. July 5: De-liced.
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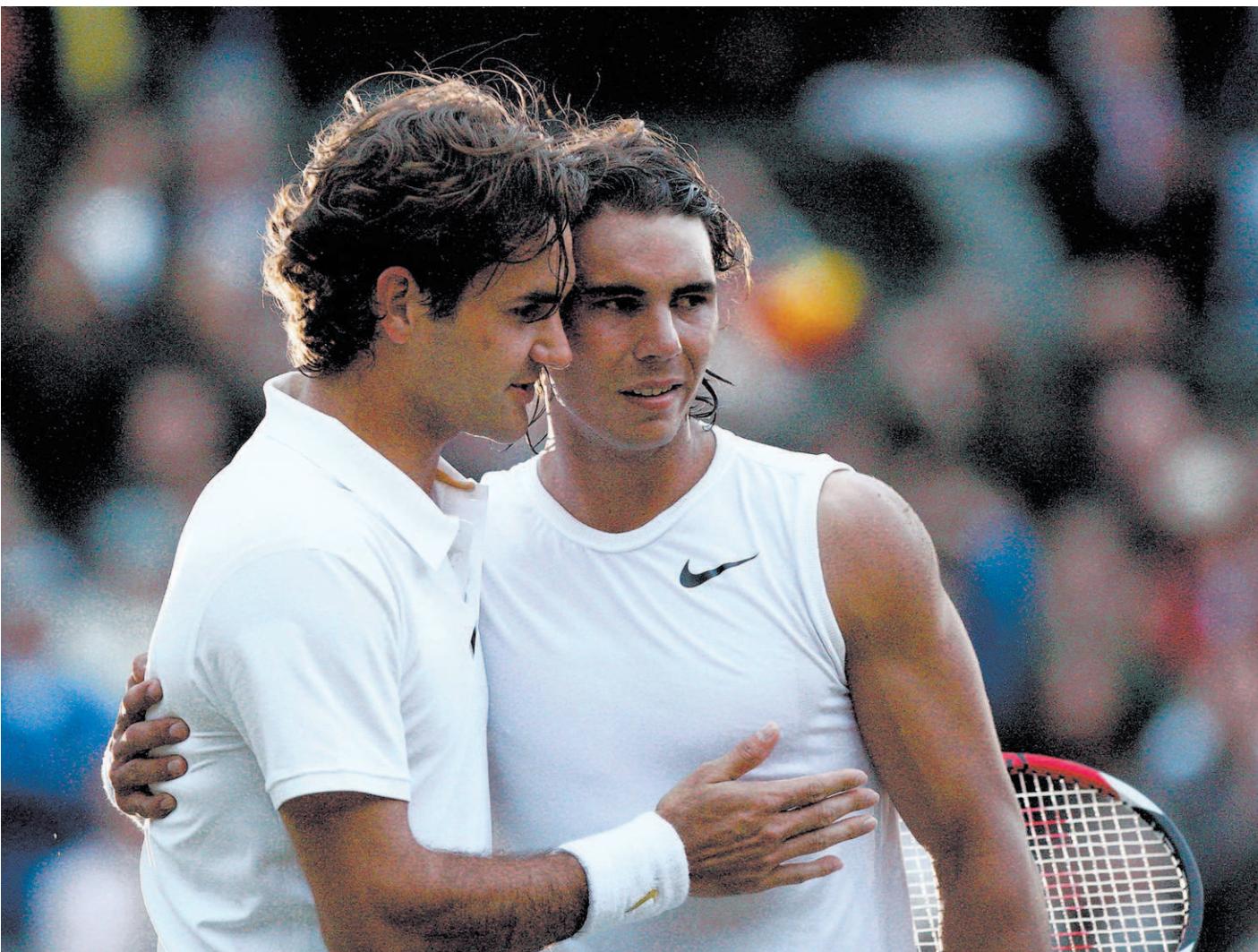
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## SPORTS SHORTSTOP



**Roger Federer (left) on Sunday congratulates Rafael Nadal after Nadal won Wimbledon in a 4-hour, 48-minute test of wills that was the longest men's final in Wimbledon's history.** [GETTY IMAGES PHOTO]

## WIMBLEDON

# Nadal unseats Federer

Rafael Nadal, grass stains on his white shirt and a Spanish flag tucked under his arm, scampered through the Centre Court stands to celebrate his first Wimbledon title with hugs and handshakes.

Roger Federer sat in his changeover chair, protected from the night's chill by his custom-made cream cardigan with the gold "RF" on the chest. Alone with his thoughts, alone with the knowledge that he had come so close to becoming the first man since the 1880s to win a sixth consecutive championship at the All England Club.

Two points from victory, the No. 1-ranked Federer couldn't pull it out, instead succumbing to No. 2 Nadal 6-4, 6-4, 6-7 (5), 6-7 (8), 9-7 Sunday night in

a 4-hour, 48-minute test of wills that was the longest men's final in Wimbledon history—and quite possibly the greatest.

Even Nadal felt sympathy for Federer.

"I am very happy for me," Nadal said, "but sorry for him, because he deserved this title too."

Through rain, wind and descending darkness, the two greatest players of their generation swapped spectacular shots, until, against a slate sky, Nadal earned the right to fling his racket aside and collapse on his back, champion of the All England Club at last.

"Is impossible to explain what I felt in that moment, no?" Nadal said after accepting the golden trophy that has belonged to Federer since 2003.

## Venus wins Williams battle

Forget the wins, the losses, the struggles. Everything changes when Venus Williams steps onto the manicured lawns of the All England Club.

The 28-year-old American won her fifth Wimbledon singles title Saturday, showing once again that she seems able to unleash something special in herself at key moments during the grass-court Grand Slam tournament.

"When I get here I feel like it's a different ball game, no matter what my results were, good or bad, in the beginning," Williams said Sunday in an interview at the All England Club. "This is Wimbledon. No matter what, I'm going to play good here. That's really how I felt about it."

## AT THE BUZZER

### Brewers' good news bad for Cubs?

The Milwaukee Brewers are extremely close to a deal to acquire Cleveland Indians ace C.C. Sabathia in a trade that bolsters their rotation for a playoff push, a person with knowledge of the deal told The Associated Press. The person requested anonymity because the trade has not been finalized and said there were a few remaining issues to work out. The Brewers are percentage points ahead of St. Louis for the second-best record in the NL, and both teams are chasing the Cubs.



**SABATHIA**

### \$9M jackpot for poker champ

The top prize at the main event of the World Series of Poker will be more than \$9 million this year, and about 660 players will get some piece of a \$64 million prize pool, tournament officials said Sunday. About 2,500 players entered the no-limit Texas Hold 'em tournament Sunday, the last day players were able to register.

## HOMETOWN HITS



### RAMPAGE 58, RUSH 41

James MacPherson threw for 326 yards and had a hand in seven touchdowns, and the Grand Rapids Rampage upset the Rush 58-41 on Sunday to advance to the Arena Football League conference finals. The Rampage had lost to the Rush twice during the regular season. ►► Grand Rapids got a 28-yard field goal at the end of the first half from former Bear and Northwestern kicker Brian Gowins.



[AP PHOTO]



**Derrick Rose (above)** and Michael Beasley will be forever linked. That's an inevitability for players who get chosen No. 1 and No. 2 in an NBA draft. So on some level, it's fitting their first pro game will pit them against each other. Rose's Bulls face Beasley's Miami Heat on Monday to open the Orlando summer league's weeklong schedule.

►► Rose participated in the night practice of Saturday's double sessions for the Bulls' summer-league mini-camp despite battling tendinitis in his right knee. The No. 1 pick limped noticeably after the morning practice, his knee wrapped in ice, but vowed not to miss Monday's games. "I've been coming 90 minutes early every day to get treatment," Rose said. "I'll be fine."

## MOUTHWATCH



I can't sit here and lie and say, 'Oh, I'm just glad I'm going.' I want a medal."

### DARA TORRES

[Olympics-bound U.S. swimmer after winning the 50-meter freestyle Sunday night in Omaha with another American record]

### Hunter-Reay gets 1st win

Ryan Hunter-Reay figured the luck had to go his way eventually. Turns out Sunday was the day. Hunter-Reay got the opening he needed to earn his first IndyCar Series victory when Scott Dixon made an uncharacteristic mistake, ending his bid for a fourth straight victory on the road course at Watkins Glen International.

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### Robinson's No. 1 Ribs

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Though the original location of this Taste of Chicago classic resides in Oak Park (940 Madison St. 708-383-8452), you can snag Taste faves like sauce-slathered ribs or a pulled turkey sandwich (left) at the Lincoln Park location or the new Riverwalk outpost (17 W. Riverwalk South. 312-422-9666).



"This is an unfussy neighborhood place. I was really happy with the hot, fresh cornbread muffins, the BYOB, the patio—and my barbecue chicken was tender and delicious."—CCK+MDF

"The [eat-in] setting isn't pleasurable, but the food is outstanding, and it's a rib joint—not a fancy, long-drawn-out dinner place. The delivery service is worth it. [They have] never gotten an order wrong and the food shows up hot."—LADIESTEES

"Split personalities! The Oak Park location is more consistent. [At] this Lincoln Park spot, if they are having a bad day, you are getting bad food. If they seem pleasant when you speak, stay there. If they are short or rude, hightail it to Oak Park."—CHEF JULIUS

Chicago's annual eating extravaganza may be over, but that doesn't mean you have to wait another year to revisit all of your Taste of Chicago favorites. We've zeroed in on where to find a few Taste MVPs—and looked to readers to sound off on them.

### Vee-Vee's African Cuisine

6232 N. BROADWAY. 773-465-2424

At its Taste booth, this Nigerian restaurant doles out golden-brown fried plantains and tender goat meat sautéed in a zesty red curry sauce. Head to the no-frills Edgewater digs and the kitchen will cook up their goat curry (and plenty of other dishes) as mild or spicy as you'd like.

"I am Nigerian-American [and] I really love Vee Vee's. I took my American husband here ... and he is literally addicted to the food. I love the jollof rice and stew with chicken."—LIZ

"Expect to spend a lot of time there; the service is quite slow because all the food is made by just one lady. Of course, it is excellently prepared. The restaurant has little in the way of decor and their signage is virtually missing. If you can get past these obstacles, the food is great."—SANDEEP

"I was a Peace Corps volunteer for two years in neighboring Benin, and this is pretty damn close to the real deal. I suggest the foofoo (pounded yams) with soup (sauce) and goat or fish."—TOM

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### Lagniappe—A Creole Cajun Joyst

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If you were charmed by the catfish po' boy at Lagniappe's Taste booth, we've got some good news: This South Side spot has a Riverwalk outpost set to open late this week (55 W. Riverwalk South. 312-726-7716). The original Auburn-Gresham location serves up authentic faves such as collard greens and jambalaya (above).

"As soon as you walk in, you immediately smell the spices of great Cajun food. I had the blackened catfish, macaroni and cheese and collard greens. I could only eat half of the food and had to take the rest home. We're definitely going back."—KAVPAV

"[We] went there for dinner two weekends in a row. The first time, [the] food was very good, well-seasoned and fresh. The next weekend ... [our server] didn't pay attention and got our orders wrong. This place has great potential, but major service problems."—MARC

"We must have shown up on a really, really bad day. We had a reservation, but our table was not ready when we arrived. They were out of some things on the menu (boudin, chicken gumbo) ... I will say that the catfish, Cajun half-chicken, chicken wings and lemonade were good. I think the jury is still out on this one."—ANGEL

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### In the loup

Whether or not you've got tickets to Pitchfork (July 18-20), you can get a dose of good music at the **Pitchfork Music Lunch Series**, free outdoor concerts co-presented by The Pitchfork Music Festival, the Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and various promoters and venues. This week's brown-bag accompaniment is the experimental band Le Loup, co-presented by Schubas Tavern. 12:15 p.m. Jay Pritzker Pavilion, Millennium Park, 201 E. Randolph St. 312-742-1168.

**TUE  
7/8**

### Ale and hearty

What's better than an icy cold beer? Not much—unless said brew arrives with (and in) some Cajun cooking. At Heaven on Seven on Rush's **beer dinner**, feast on seven courses prepared and paired with beers from Louisiana-based Abita Brewing Company. A brewery rep is on hand with giveaways and answers to all your brew-based questions. 7 p.m. \$75. Reservations required. 600 N. Michigan Ave. 312-224-8858.

**WED  
7/9**

### Chances are

Summer's in full swing at **Off Chances**, an LGBT mixer and dance party from the folks behind Chances Dances. Sip drink specials while DJs Peachsicle and Dick Simmons spin old soul, afro-pop, indie, classic rock, disco, underground hip-hop and more. Get there early for mix CD giveaways and free pastries, available while supplies last. 10 p.m. No cover. Danny's Tavern, 1951 W. Dickens. 773-489-6457.

### Fire it up

If holiday barbecues left you hungry for more, head to the inaugural **Young Professionals of Chicago Barbecue**, a post-4th of July cookout featuring hamburgers, corn on the cob, barbecued chicken, domestic beer, wine, soda, games and views of the Navy Pier fireworks (9:30 p.m.). Cash bar available. 7 p.m. \$30-\$50. Castaways Bar & Grill, 1603 N. Lake Shore Drive. R.S.V.P. required by Tuesday: [ypchicago.org](http://ypchicago.org)



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# MUSIC

## MONDAY SHOWS

**Ari Seder Trio**  
5 p.m. \$5. Andy's Jazz Club, 11 E. Hubbard St. 312-642-6805.

**Barbara Cook**  
8 p.m. \$10-\$75. Ravinia Festival, Martin Theatre, 200-231 Ravinia Park Rd., Highland Park. 847-266-5100.

**Big Time Sarah and the BTS Express**  
9 p.m. \$8. Blue Chicago at Superior, 736 N. Clark St. 312-642-6261.

**Black Hole Trio, Jespere, The CannaBand, Gia Margaret**  
8:30 p.m. \$7. Elbo Room, 2871 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-549-5549.

**Bust!, Elephant Gun, Noise Noise Noise, Giant Lakes**  
9 p.m. \$7. Ronny's, 2101 N. California Ave. mpshows.com.

**Chris Bryan, Brian Sharpe, Claire Strahlecker, Brendan Losche**  
8 p.m. \$6. Martyrs', 3855 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-404-9869.

**Dropkick Murphys, Mighty Mighty Bosstones**  
6 p.m. \$31-\$35. Charter One Pavilion at Northerly Island, 1300 S. Linn White Drive. 312-559-1212.

**Ernest Dawkins New Horizons Ensemble**  
8:30 p.m. Cover varies. The Velvet Lounge, 67 E. Cermak Rd. 312-791-9050.

**Headache City, Radar Eyes**  
9 p.m. Free. Empty Bottle, 1035 N. Western Ave. 773-276-3600.

**J.W. Williams, John Primer and the Real**  
9 p.m. \$10. Andy's Jazz Club, 11 E. Hubbard St. 312-642-6805.

### LE LOUP



**Deal Blues Band**  
9:30 p.m. \$12. Kingston Mines, 2548 N. Halsted St. 773-477-4646.

**Jen Porter's Most Fabulous Trio**  
Midnight. Cover varies. The Underground Wonder Bar, 10 E. Walton St. 312-266-7761.

**Jimmy Burns hosts The Jam**  
9:30 p.m. \$10. Buddy Guy's Legends, 754 S. Wabash Ave. 312-427-0333.

**Le Loup**  
12:15 p.m. Free. Jay Pritzker Pavilion, Millennium Park, 201 E. Randolph St. 312-742-1168.

**The Nicholas Tremulis Orchestra, Robbie Fulks**  
9 p.m. Cover varies. Schubas, 3159 N. Southport Ave. 773-525-2508.

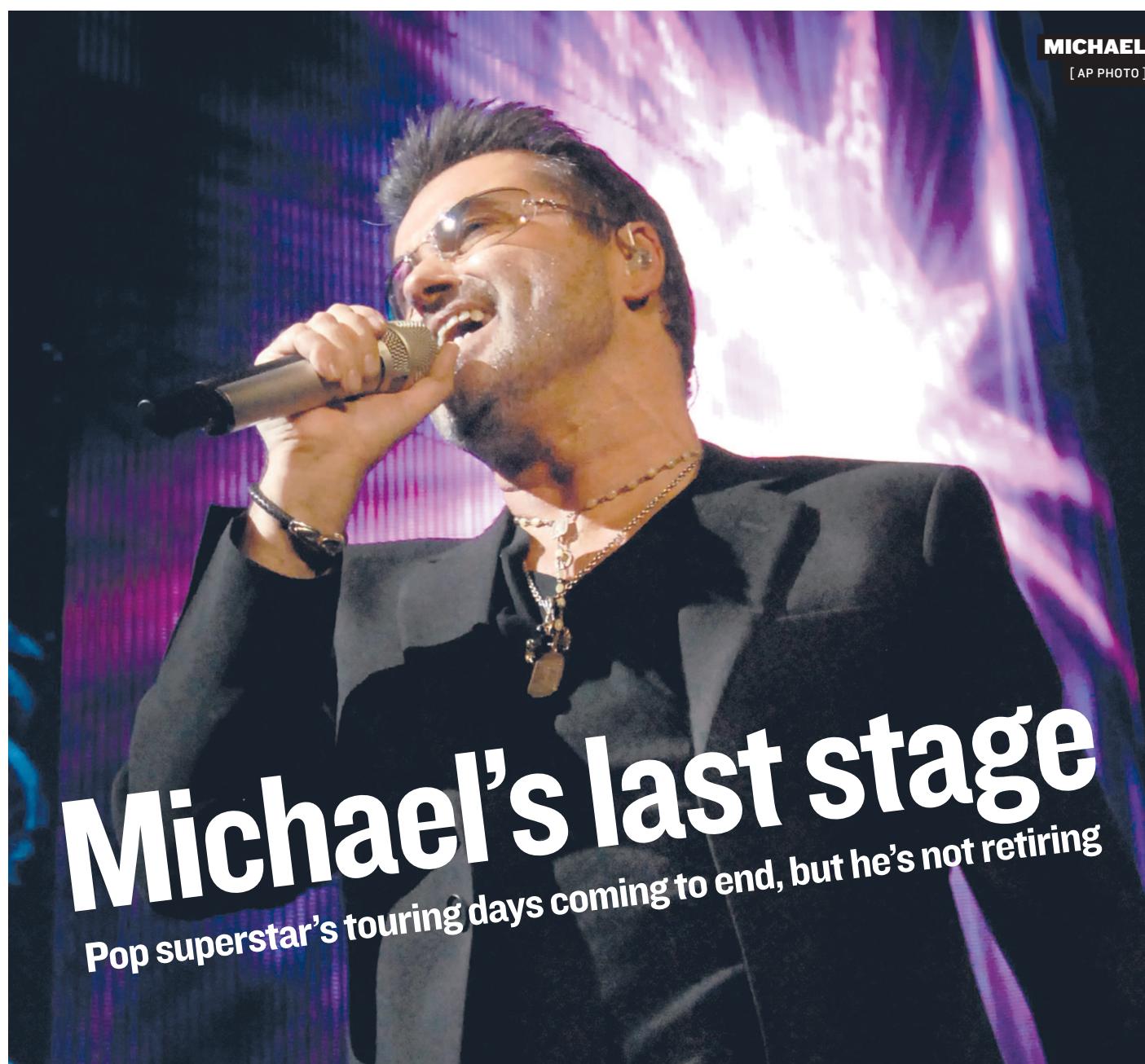
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6:30 p.m. \$10. Subterranean, 2011 W. North Ave. 773-278-6600.

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# Michael's last stage

Pop superstar's touring days coming to end, but he's not retiring

### Los Angeles Times

George Michael is not a whiskey-swilling geezer like Keith Richards or a rebellious bohemian like Thom Yorke.

He's a well-groomed, gracious man of means whose favorite topic of discussion is the domestic bliss he shares with his long-time partner, Kenny Goss, in mansions filled with fine art and Labradors. Although he has faced down his share of scandals, Michael's music still signals frothy good times. It doesn't cause riots; it inspires people to dance.

Yet the 44-year-old star is, in his own way, a pop outlaw. At the very least, he's complicated.

"It's almost required with major artists that there's some duality," he says. "And I've got duality everywhere."

The "Twenty Five Live" tour, which comes to Chicago on Wednesday, needed to be amazing, Michael said, because it's not only his first major foray into arenas in 17 years—but it's also his last. But he's not retiring. He has many plans. They just don't involve being part of the pop machine.

"I've written a whole body of work that

I'm incredibly proud of," he said about his quarter-century of hits. "I've achieved what every artist wants, which is that some of their work will outlive them. But there are other things I can do with my money and my ideas, without my being center stage."

"There's very little you can do in pop music anymore," he continued, saying that what music he makes next probably will be distributed freely on the Internet. "There are things that I

think I see in society—the nature of being gay is that you are forced to challenge the general perception, otherwise you have to accept that something is wrong with you. Maybe that gives gay men the perspective that many have turned into art. And maybe I can do that in ways that will continue to make my life constructive."

This is George Michael now: outspoken, self-assured, carrying around his share of beefs after so long in the spotlight, but open to the unknown.

Michael might seem like an unlikely champion of serious-mindedness. As the creative half of the gorgeously coiffed 1980s pop duo Wham! he was derided as the anti-punk, a decadent purveyor of

meaningless fluff. Yet even as Wham! profited from hedonistic hits such as "Wake Me Up Before You Go Go," Michael practiced progressive politics; the group participated in the miner's strike benefits that were the left's cause celebre (though they were criticized for lip-syncing) and Wham! was the first Western pop group to play in communist China.

"Faith" was one of Michael's first hits post-Wham! as he entered the career phase most strongly marked by an internalized split. He mastered his image and his music but struggled with his sexual identity, releasing daring songs about love and sex while keeping his own desires in the closet.

Hits like "Father Figure" and "Jesus to a Child" tapped into the gay experience of the past two decades, transporting that community's story to the mainstream. "Freedom '90" was a pride anthem long before Michael actually came out.

"He's still one of the most important gay musicians alive, if not one of the most important musicians alive," said Corey Scholibo, entertainment editor of the Advocate. "And my opinion is that the gay community, though very harsh to judge when one is in the closet, is also very quick to accept once you're out of the closet."

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- Discuss deficiencies and recommend corrective action to improve controls and operations;

**This position requires:**

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- Excellent communication skills and strong analytical and organizational skills;
- Demonstrated ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously;
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- Stay informed about systems activity throughout the Company in order to develop a comprehensive audit plan that helps ensure cost effective internal controls and security is in place to protect the Company's information assets.
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Req. C08FR100734069R, Spec. No. CTA 6794-08 - with related drawings Furnish and Deliver both Inner and Outer Bolster Springs with a Base Order Quantity of five hundred (500) of each and an Option 1 Order Quantity of up to four hundred (400) of each, if any.

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**CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY**

By: Geoffrey Urban General Manager, Purchasing July 7, 2008

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### LEGAL NOTICES

#### NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

On October 24, 2007, the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, in a case entitled United States v. Raymond L. Jones, No. 05 CR 1018, ordered forfeiture to the United States of the following property, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Sections 982 and 1029(c):

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(c) seized peripheral connecting cables and equipment;

(d) seized computer disks, including compact disks; floppy disks; CD-2, DVD-R and CD-Rom disks; and zip disks;

(e) seized AMC Magnetic Stripe Encoder Device, serial number 1482512; and

(f) seized Tyso skimmer device with battery charger, serial number MPC330253.

The United States Department of Homeland Security intends to dispose of the property. In accordance with 21 U.S.C. Section 835(n)(2), incorporated by 18 U.S.C. Section 982(b)(1) and 1029(C)(2), any persons or entities alleging an interest in such property must file a petition with the Clerk of the Court and the United States Attorney's Office, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604 within thirty (30) days of either the publication of this notice or receipt thereof by mail, whichever is earlier. The petition must be signed by the petitioner under penalty of perjury and must set forth:

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A hearing on the petitions may be held by the Court, notice of which shall be given to all petitioners.

Tim W. Vieretl

Special Agent in Charge  
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#### NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

On May 22, 2008, the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, in a case entitled United States v. Jeromeine Roberson, No. 07 CR 460, ordered forfeiture of certain property, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 492 and 28 Section U.S.C. 2461, specifically:

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On March 18, 2008, the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, in a case entitled United States v. Raymond L. Jones, No. 07 CR 125, ordered forfeiture to the United States of funds in the amount of \$12,000 pursuant to the provisions of 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

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Department of Justice

Antitrust Division

Take notice that a proposed Final Judgment has been filed in a civil antitrust case, United States of America v. National Association of Realtors®, No. 05-C-5140. On September 8, 2005, the United States filed a Complaint alleging that the National Association of Realtors® ("NAR") violated Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. Section 1, by adopting policies that suppress competition from real estate brokers who use password-protected "virtual office websites" or "VOWS" to deliver high-quality brokerage services to their customers. The proposed Final Judgment, filed on May 27, 2008, requires NAR to reveal the challenged policies and to adopt new rules that do not discriminate against brokers who use VOWS. A Competitive Impact Statement filed by the United States on June 12, 2008, describes the Amended Complaint, filed on October 4, 2005, the proposed Final Judgment, the industry, and the remedies available to private litigants who may have been injured by the alleged violation.

Copies of the Amended Complaint, proposed Final Judgment and Competitive Impact Statement are available for inspection at the Department of Justice, Antitrust Division, Antitrust Documents Group, 450 5th Street, N.W., Room 1010, Washington, D.C. 20530 (telephone: 202-514-2481), on the Department of Justice's Web site at <http://www.usdoj.gov/atr> and at the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

Interested persons may address comments to John R. Reed, Chief, Litigation III Section, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, 450 5th Street, N.W., Suite 4000, Washington, D.C. 20530, 202-307-0468, within 60 days of the date of this notice.

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Bruce Romain

Associate Principal

### NOTICE OF PREVAILING WAGE DETERMINATION

On June 12, 2008, in accordance

with the Illinois Prevailing

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Ordinance No. O-6-08, being

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June determinations, those

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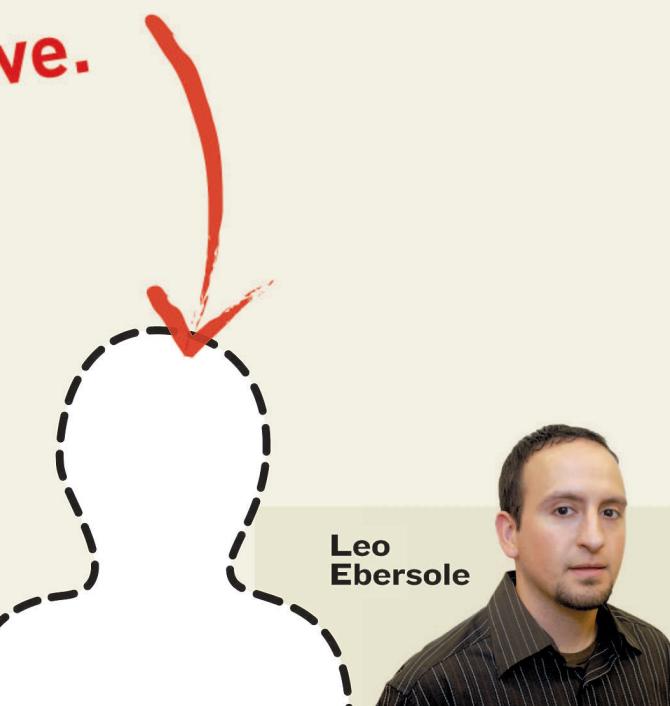
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RedEye wants to know what superhero you most want to be. Beginning Monday, you can vote for your favorite from the bracket shown here. We know who is getting Lee's votes:

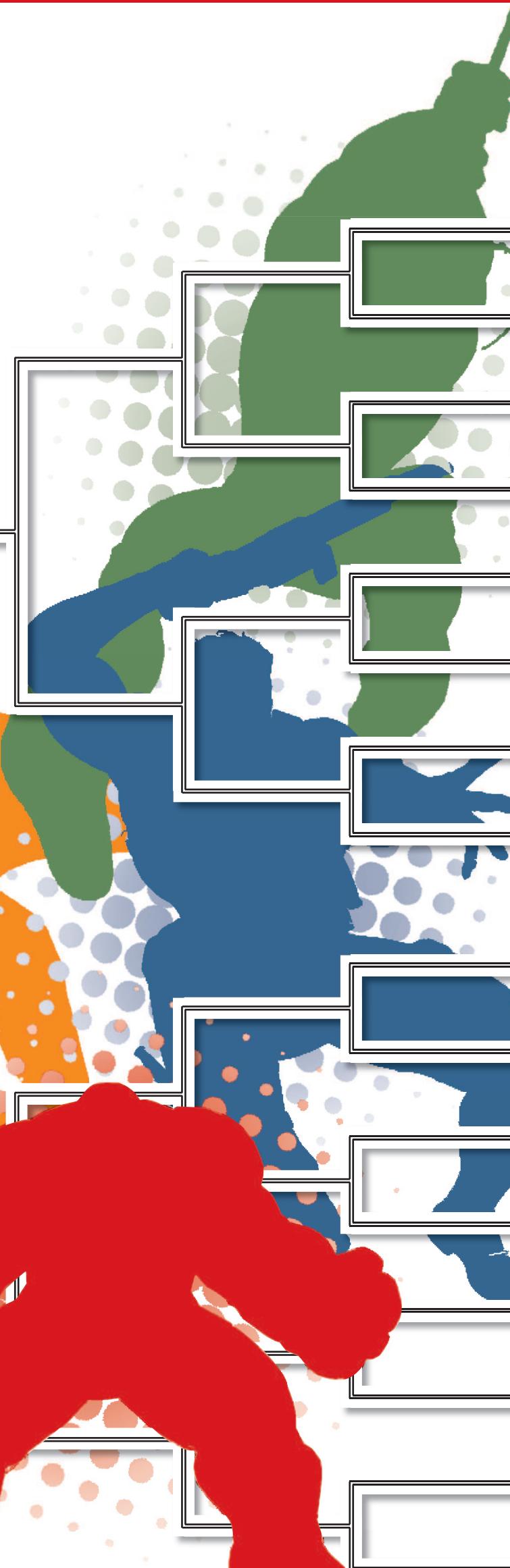
"Spider-Man is my all-time favorite because he's the best-known and most successful," Lee said.

Because we could include only 32 heroes, the members of RedEye's selection committee took on the heroic task of narrowing the field of caped (and capeless) crusaders. After days—nay, weeks—of research and deliberation, we arrived at our field.

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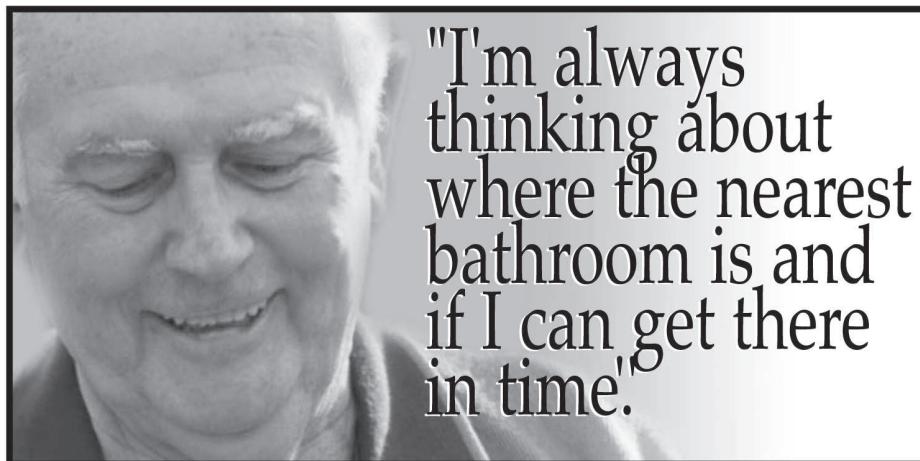
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# A good year for movie trailers

**Associated Press**

It's shaping up to be an excellent year for movie trailers.

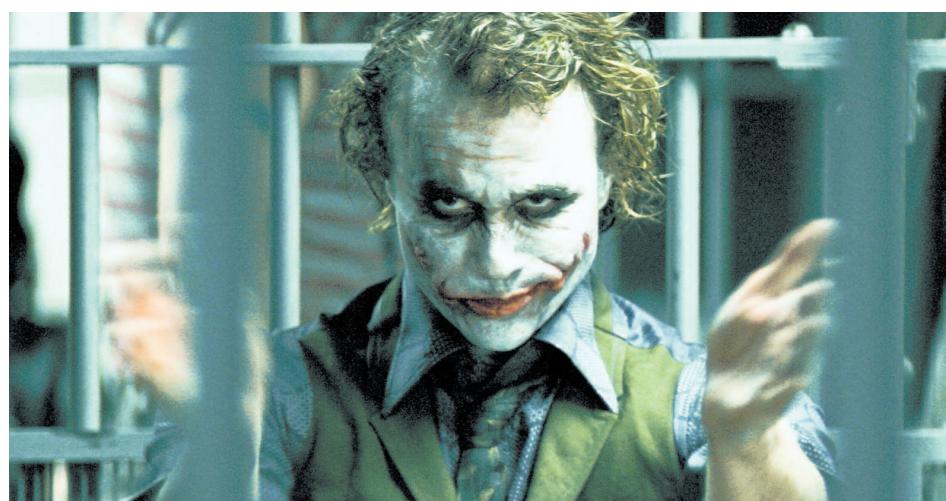
Websites such as [apple.com/trailers,comingsoon.net](http://apple.com/trailers,comingsoon.net) and others have increased the circulation and attention to trailers. A highly anticipated trailer will often top YouTube's charts in its first days of release.

Currently ubiquitous is the latest and fullest trailer for the new Batman installment, "The Dark Knight." Advertising for the film has been scrutinized following the death of Heath Ledger, who plays the Joker.

But the ad campaign by Warner Bros.—which heavily features Ledger—has drawn raves. Even the staunchest art-house filmgoer would have to remark that the new Batman motorcycle looks, well, totally rad.

The Golden Trailer Awards recently gave "The Dark Knight" the award for best action trailer. In its ninth year, the awards (at [goldentrailer.com](http://goldentrailer.com)) come complete with golden trophies that look like actual trailers.

The "Dark Knight's" second trailer is a moody mini masterpiece, though it may show too many of the movie's cards. That's not the case for the latest heavyweight film to release a trailer: the new James Bond flick



**The late Heath Ledger stars as the Joker in "The Dark Knight." The movie recently won best action trailer from The Golden Trailer Awards.** [WARNER BROS. PHOTO]

"Quantum of Solace."

The two-minute teaser played before "Hancock" over the long weekend, after it was viewed by millions on the Internet.

Two other attention-grabbing trailers out now feature Brad Pitt. "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button" is a highly anticipated film based on an F. Scott Fitzgerald story about a man who ages backward. The David

Fincher-directed movie is being advertised in an elegant, dreamy trailer almost without dialogue or narration.

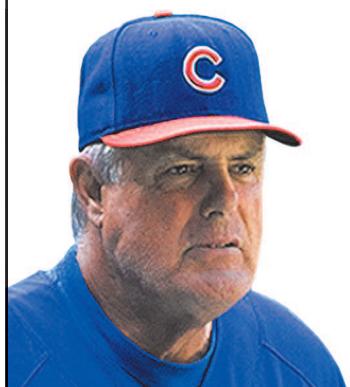
The Coen Brothers' screwball comedy "Burn After Reading" stars Pitt, George Clooney and Frances McDormand. The trailer is a quirky montage that leaves the viewer with only the slightest understanding of what the movie's about.



**Frances McDormand and Brad Pitt in "Burn After Reading."** [FOCUS FEATURES PHOTO]

Of course, online video promotion can take many forms. Advertising for "Hellboy II," opening Friday, includes a smart clip in which the demon warrior of the film, played by Ron Perlman, and Chuck, the nerdy character from NBC's comedy "Chuck," play a video game that leads to disaster for Chuck. You can watch it at [redeyechicago.com/showpatrol](http://redeyechicago.com/showpatrol).

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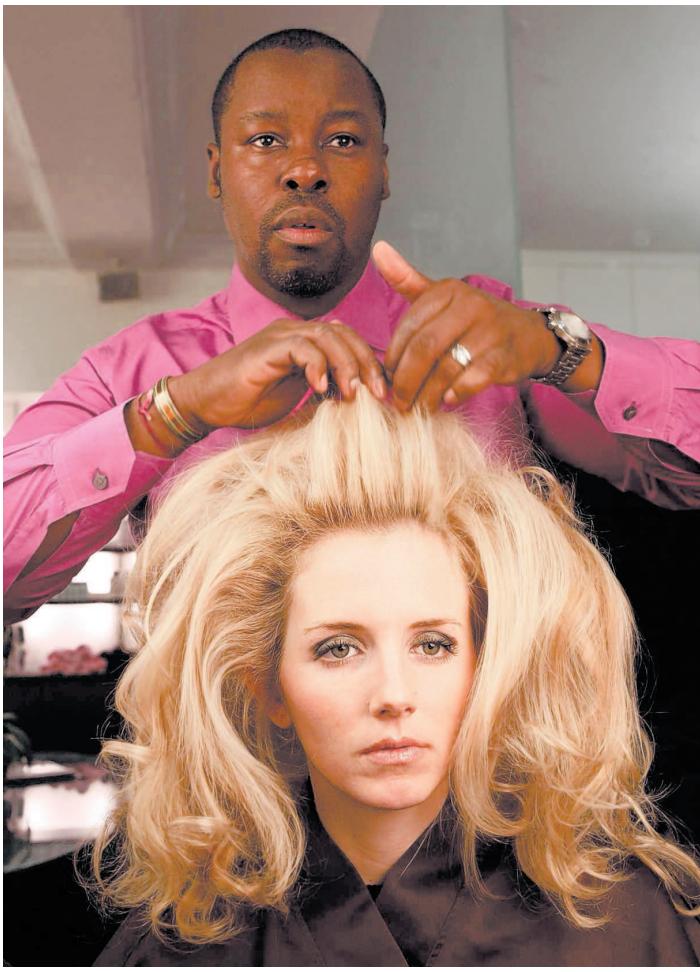
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## POP FASHION



Celebrity stylist Ted Gibson creates the big look on client Nikki McHale at his Fifth Avenue salon. [L.A. TIMES PHOTO]

# Big hair a big deal again

## Los Angeles Times

Just when you thought all '80s fashion revivals had run their course, big hair is back. Just look at Angelina Jolie on the cover of July's *Vanity Fair* (right) and Sarah Jessica Parker in the "Sex and the City" movie poster to see that the chic set is turning up the volume. The man who gives Jolie, Anne Hathaway and the *Victoria's Secret* models their big, beautiful hair is celebrity stylist Ted Gibson. Last week, he took a few moments at his New York salon to show readers how to go over-the-top sextop or just add a little Giselle to your summer look.

His step-by-step process is less complicated than it may seem, but it requires a few key products: a blow-dryer, some hair spray—and remember hot rollers?

## Start at the root

► Cleanly divide your hair into five even sections (hair can start wet or dry).

► Apply a volumizing product to the scalp where each section is divided. Gibson favors his product, called Build It. "It's about building volume without the weight."



► Apply a light, controlling gel all over the hair. Gibson uses two or three pumps of Aveda's Phomollient styling foam, then combs through the hair with his trusty Mason Pearson brush. "Brushing the hair after applying these products will help distribute the product evenly."

► Blow-dry hair until 80 percent dry.

► Finish by pulling the ends under using a round brush. "This helps get volume from the scalp."

## Time for rollers

► Once the hair is totally dry, get your hot rollers really hot. Wrap 2-inch sections of hair around each roller until you look like a '50s housewife.

► Leave rollers in for 10 to 15 minutes or until they are completely cool.

► After taking the rollers out, curls should be more waves than ringlets.

► Then spritz a light hair spray all over the head. It should be a "working" hair spray, which means one that doesn't get sticky or stiff. Gibson recommends his Beautiful Hold hair spray.

► Throw your head over and brush out. "Make sure you do some back brushing," Gibson says. "Just tease the hair a little at the crown, smooth down the top, and spray again."

## MOTION PICTURE

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■ *Hancock* (PG-13) 11:30, 12:30, 2:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 10:30  
■ *AMC Select Kit Kittredge* (G) 11:00, 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:15  
■ *WALL-E* (G) 11:45, 2:15, 4:50, 7:30, 10:00  
■ *Wanted* (R) 11:15, 2:30, 5:00, 7:50, 10:45  
■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 12:00, 2:45, 4:15, 8:15, 11:00  
■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 12:10, 2:20, 5:45, 8:30, 11:15  
■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 11:00, 1:30, 3:45, 6:15, 8:45, 11:00  
■ *Sex & City* (R) 12:45, 4:00, 7:15, 10:20

### LANDMARK CENTURY CENTRE CINEMA (LANDMARK)

2828 North Clark St., Chicago (773) 509-4949  
■ *Gonzo: Hunter* (R) 2:10, 4:45, 7:30, 10:15  
■ *Diminished* (NR) 1:50, 4:10, 7:20, 9:40  
■ *OSS 117: Cairo* (NR) 2:00, 4:25, 7:45, 10:10  
■ *Brick Lane* (PG-13) 1:30, 4:00, 7:00, 9:50  
■ *War, Inc.* (R) 1:55, 7:10  
■ *Savage Grace* (NR) 4:40, 9:45  
■ *The Fall* (R) 1:45, 4:20, 7:15, 10:00  
■ *The Visitor* (PG-13) 1:40, 4:15, 9:55

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2600 N. Western Ave. (800) 326-3264 #1642  
■ *Hancock* (PG-13) ★ 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 5:20, 5:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:10, 5:40, 6:05, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00  
■ *Kit Kittredge* (G) ★ 1:20, 4:10, 6:50, 9:20  
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■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 2:10, 4:50, 7:40, 10:40  
■ *The Happening* (R) 9:45  
■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) ★ 1:15, 3:50, 6:40, 9:50  
■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 12:10, 2:20, 5:00, 7:20  
■ *Sex & City* (R) 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00

### DAVIS THEATRE (VALUE)

4614 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago (773) 784-0893  
■ *Hancock* (PG-13) ★ 11:45, 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:45  
■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 12:15, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40  
■ *Sex & City* (R) 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00

### DAVIS THEATRE (VALUE) (continued)

■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00  
■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 9:30 P.M.

### FORD CITY 14 (AMC)

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■ *WALL-E* (G) 1:05, 2:25, 3:00, 3:25, 4:05, 4:30, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:25, 9:50  
■ *Wanted* (R) 1:00, 1:30, 2:15, 3:40, 4:15, 4:50, 6:35, 7:05, 7:40, 9:05, 9:35, 10:05  
■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 1:55, 4:45, 7:10, 9:40  
■ *The Love Guru* (PG-13) 9:30 P.M.  
■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 2:05, 4:40, 7:15, 9:55  
■ *The Happening* (R) 3:45, 8:25  
■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 2:25, 4:55, 7:25  
■ *You Don't Mess* (PG-13) 1:15, 5:50

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■ *Heartbeat Det.* (NR) 6:30  
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### LINCOLN VILLAGE THEATER

6341 N. McCormick at Devon Chicago 312-642-2403  
■ *Over the Hedge* (PG) 11:00 A.M.  
■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 11:45, 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:50  
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■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:20

### LOGAN THEATRE

2646 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago (773) 252-0628  
■ *Speed Racer* (PG) 2:15, 5:50, 8:20  
■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 2:00, 4:10, 6:20, 8:30  
■ *Indiana Jones* (PG-13) 2:00, 4:10, 6:25, 8:40  
■ *Iron Man* (PG-13) 2:10, 5:40, 8:10

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### MUSIC BOX

3733 N. Southport, Chicago (773) 871-6604

■ *My Winnipeg* (NR) 5:45, 7:45, 9:45

■ *Up the Yangtze* (NR) 5:30 P.M.

■ *Mother of Tears* (NR) 7:30, 9:40

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■ *AMC Select Mongol* (R) 1:50, 2:40, 5:15, 7:00, 7:55  
■ *AMC Select When Did You* (PG-13) 4:45 P.M.

■ *You Don't Mess* (PG-13) 5:00 P.M.

■ *Respond* (NR) 2:15, 7:30

### RIVER EAST 21 (AMC)

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■ *Hancock* (PG-13) 12:00, 12:35, 1:05, 1:40, 2:10, 4:20, 3:30, 4:10, 5:10, 6:05, 6:40, 4:40, 5:10, 6:30, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:15, 9:50, 10:45

■ *WALL-E* (G) 1:25, 1:50, 2:30, 3:40, 4:30, 6:30, 7:00, 9:15, 9:45, 10:30

■ *Wanted* (R) 12:40, 1:50, 3:40, 5:00, 6:20, 7:45, 9:00, 10:30

■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 1:30, 4:40, 7:20, 10:15

■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 2:15, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30

■ *Sex & City* (R) 3:00, 6:10, 9:20

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■ *Iron Man* (PG-13) 10:00

### CROWN VILLAGE 18 (KERASOTES)

7000 Carpenter Rd., Skokie (800) 326-3264 #2309

■ *Hancock* (PG-13) ★ 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 5:20, 5:30, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00

■ *WALL-E* (G) ★ 1:20, 4:10, 6:15, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15

■ *Wanted* (R) ★ 1:30, 4:10, 6:15, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15

■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30

■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 2:15, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30

■ *Sex & City* (R) 3:00, 6:10, 9:20

■ *Indiana Jones* (PG-13) 12:50, 4:00, 6:50, 9:40

■ *Iron Man* (PG-13) 10:00

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### CROWN VILLAGE 18 (KERASOTES) (continued)

■ *WALL-E* (G) ★ 10:30, 12:00, 1:00, 1:50, 2:30, 4:40, 4:20, 5:20, 6:20, 7:10, 7:50, 9:10, 9:50

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■ *The Happening* (R) 9:55

■ *Incredible Hulk* (PG-13) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 10:10

■ *You Don't Mess* (PG-13) 2:20, 3:45, 6:45, 9:45

■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 2:10, 5:00, 7:20, 10:20

■ *Mongol* (R) 9:20

■ *The Strangers* (R) 10:15

■ *Indiana Jones* (PG-13) 1:20, 4:30, 7:45, 10:40

■ *Sex & City* (R) 3:00, 6:10, 9:20

■ *Iron Man* (PG-13) 10:00

### WEBSTER PLACE (KERASOTES)

1471 W. Webster Ave., Chicago (800) 326-3264 #1641

■ *Hancock* (PG-13) ★ 12:30, 1:00, 1:40, 2:10, 2:50, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:10, 6:30, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:15, 9:50, 10:45

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■ *Get Smart* (PG-13) 1:30, 4:40, 7:20, 10:15

■ *Kung Fu Panda* (PG) 2:15, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30

■ *Sex & City* (R) 3:00, 6:10, 9:20

■ *Indiana Jones* (PG-13) 12:50, 4:00, 6:50, 9:40

■ *Iron Man* (PG-13) 10:00

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## Cancer

JUNE 22-JULY 22

A lazy sun has you going on vacation, whether it's an official one or not. You're worried less about work, bills and schedules. Right now you're all about seduction and spending cozy, passionate time with your lover. It's time for some sexual healing.

## Leo

JULY 23-AUG. 22

Lusty Venus is entering your sign for a few weeks. Suddenly, your dance card is full. Everybody and his brother wants to spend intimate time with you. But is going out on three dates every night sustainable? You might need to scale back on your schedule.

## Virgo

AUG. 23-SEPT. 22

With two planets converging in your sign, you'll suddenly know exactly how to handle that complicated romance. You'll figure out the way to your honey's heart. Or you'll come up with a grand seduction plan, better than any you've tried before. Go for it.

## Libra

SEPT. 23-OCT. 23

You're not a bad person, even though you are an Air sign. You don't mean to play fast and loose with other people's hearts.

You're never intentionally cruel. But the moon is reminding you to show more kindness and consideration to those who have fallen for you.

## Scorpio

OCT. 24-NOV. 21

Two planets are creating some flirty encounters. You'll find yourself chatting with cuties wherever you go. Along the way, hand out some of your business cards and be sure to collect some phone numbers of your own.

## Sagittarius

NOV. 22-DEC. 21

Risk-taking Venus is making you aggressive. You'll chase after that hottie even though you know he's dating somebody else.

Or you'll call up your ex-girlfriend right after she's gotten married to a great guy. What has gotten into you?



## Capricorn

DEC. 22-JAN. 19

Sometimes, you demand that your partners live by your rules. You're picky about certain things. Right now Saturn is making it clear to you that you need to lay down the line about some stuff your honey has been neglecting to take care of.



## Aquarius

JAN. 20-FEB. 18

Venus is moving opposite your sign for a few weeks. This isn't the best time to get engaged, elope to Vegas, or get his-and-her tattoos. Don't do anything drastic in the romance department because you won't be seeing things clearly.



## Pisces

FEB. 19-MARCH 20

A lazy sun is inspiring you to call in sick to work and take a weeklong sex holiday with your significant other. All you want to do is to touch and to be touched. You'll want to overdose on pleasure since you've been denying yourself so much lately.



## Aries

MARCH 31-APRIL 19

One minute things are going one way in your romance. The next minute the script suddenly changes. A moon opposition is turning your life from a situation comedy to a melodrama. Can we say betrayal, revenge and angst?



## Taurus

APRIL 20-MAY 20

With Mars continuing in a favorable position, you're feeling less fretful about the future. You're living in the moment and savoring every sensual minute with your partner. If you're single, you're simply enjoying hanging out with friends. Cool.



## Gemini

MAY 21-JUNE 21

Don't jump to insane conclusions this week. A moon square is making you paranoid. Those aren't lipstick stains from another woman on your husband's collar. That isn't a love bite from another guy on your girlfriend's neck. At least, probably not.



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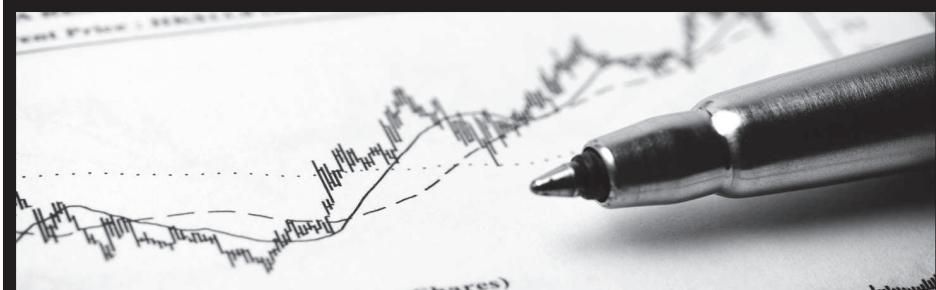
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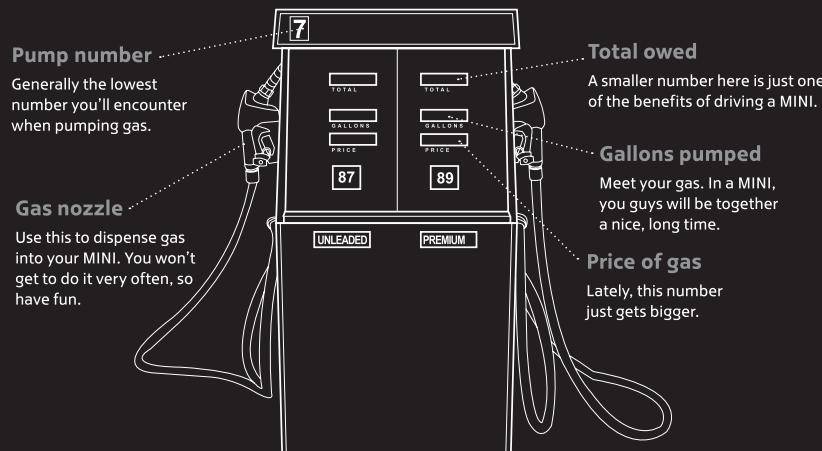


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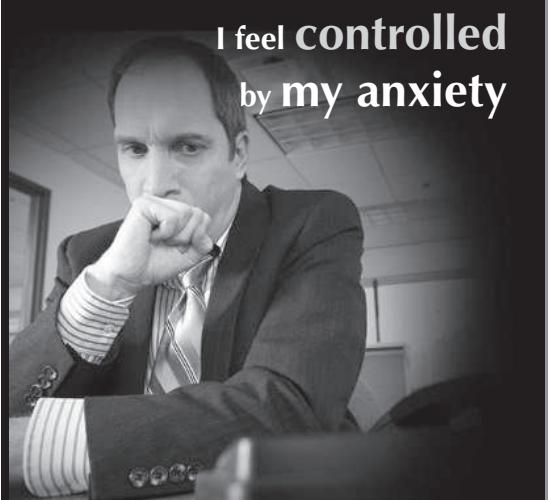
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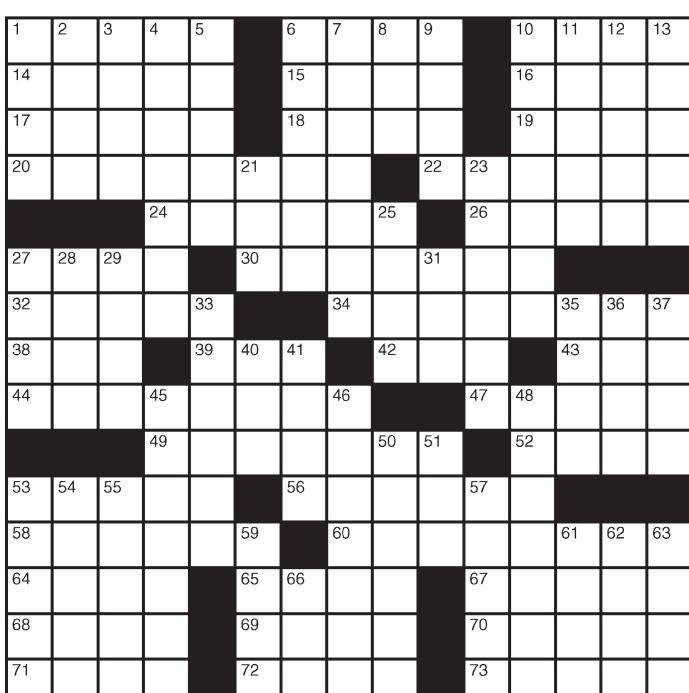
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**ACROSS**

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- Catch sight of
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- Make into law
- Hawaiian port
- Stage part
- Start the day
- Went on horseback
- Authentic
- Hold back
- Poem division
- Viewpoints
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- Taxis
- Put in office
- Complies
- Stop or Men at Work, e.g.
- Narc's org.
- Playground game
- Dryly humorous
- Twosome
- Material for foil
- Happening
- Elite clique
- Let up
- Don't spare the rod
- Invisible
- Constantly
- \_\_\_ Springs, NY
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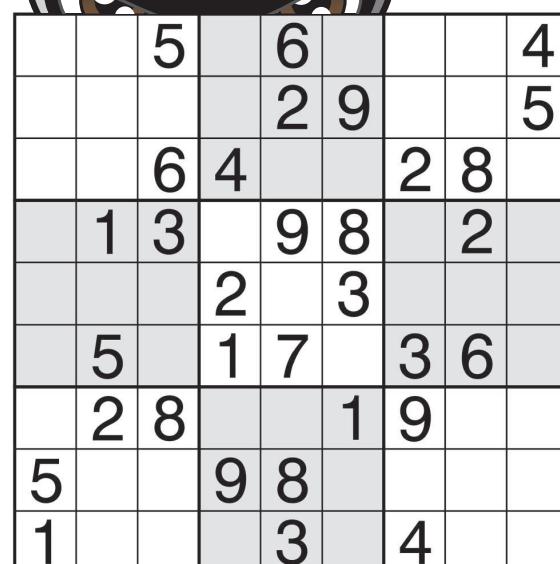
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- Seventh heaven
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- Interminably
- Glossy coating
- Chill out
- Time we live in
- Color fabric, '60s-style
- Barge for garbage
- Sonata finale
- One of Adam's sons
- Gentleman caller
- Black goo
- Malodorous
- Mental plan
- Arms
- Written reminder
- "Brokeback Mountain" director Lee
- Indian sage
- Mosque tower
- Rainy season, India
- Undertaking
- Practices
- Pay-\_\_-view
- Adds seasoning
- Fold of fashion
- Conscious
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- Vault
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SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD ANSWER



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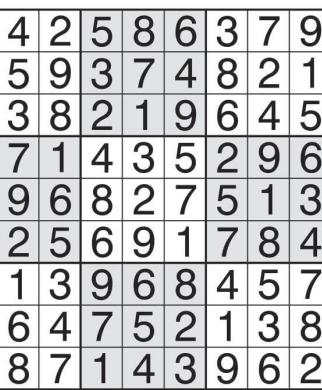
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# WHOVILLE

When news leaked last week that Shannen Doherty might reprise her role of Brenda Walsh on The CW's reimagining of "Beverly Hills, 90210," the gossip world was aflutter. Doherty? Wasn't she booted from the original "90210" for bad behavior? And what about that spat she was in with Kelly, er, co-star Jennie Garth? At any rate, the Doherty news drummed up even more buzz for the highly anticipated return of the teen soap. Seems as good a time as any to look at the good, the bad and the ugly associated with a possible Doherty comeback. [COX NEWS SERVICE, REDEYE]

## THE GOOD

>> Even the whisper that Doherty could be on board with the revamped drama got fans talking.

>> Her Brenda character provided countless juicy storylines—what would an older and wiser incarnation of the character have to say about that fiery relationship with Dylan?

>> Entertainment Weekly suggests that Doherty could be up to her old tricks: She is rumored to be angling for more money to rejoin the show, the mag reported on its Web site, citing unnamed sources.

## THE BAD

>> The queen of controversy, Doherty allegedly lost her jobs on both "Beverly Hills, 90210" and "Charmed" because she exhibited diva-like behavior on set, according to Cox News Service. She lasted four seasons with "90210" and three on "Charmed."

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## THE UGLY

>> Doherty and Garth reportedly engaged in fisticuffs after an argument on the set in "90210's" prime, according to the L.A. Times and Entertainment Weekly.

>> Doherty has had brushes with the law. In 2006 she was involved in a car accident that sent the other driver to the hospital, according to people.com.



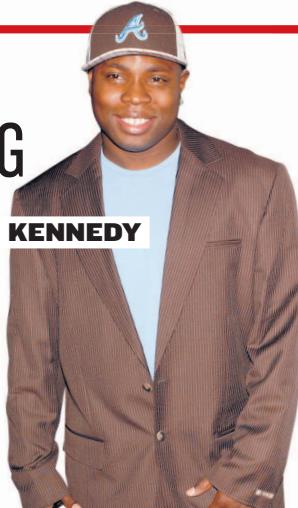
DOHERTY



# Network drama

Would a Shannen Doherty comeback rock '90210's' world?

## STARS BEHAVING BADLY



KENNEDY

### Page Kennedy

He played Caleb in the second season of ABC's "Desperate Housewives" but was replaced with a new actor after the studio said he exhibited improper conduct on set, according to The Associated Press and other reports.



### Isaiah Washington

He got the boot from ABC's "Grey's Anatomy" after using an anti-gay slur on set.



### Star Jones Reynolds and Rosie O'Donnell

Both personalities on "The View" were dropped from the ABC talk show after being seen as too "controversial."



**"HOW LONG DO YOU THINK SHANNEN DOHERTY, IF HIRED, WILL LAST ON THE NEW '90210' BEFORE SHE GETS FIRED?"**

**37%**

That's the percentage of readers who voted that Doherty will 'quit before she's fired.' RedEye TV blogger Curt Wagner asked the question, and now you can read the rest of the results and vote at [redeyechicago.com/showpatrol](http://redeyechicago.com/showpatrol).

Of course, Shannen Doherty isn't alone in the stable of actors to have off-camera controversies. Remember these slip-ups?

# Wine & Winehouse

Amy Winehouse sipped from a glass of red wine as she appeared in front of a large audience at the Rock in Rio music festival southeast of Madrid on Friday.

The soul diva threw off a pair of high stiletto heels in favor of white moccasins, The Associated Press reports, and she donned a white electric guitar and performed her best-known song, "Rehab."

Winehouse, whose Grammy award-winning music has been overshadowed in the press by her private life and public struggles with alcohol and drug addiction, did not stay for an encore and left the outdoor concert venue by helicopter.

## The Michigan man?

Jack White has love for his hometown of Detroit.



The White Stripes frontman, who has been quoted dissing the Motor City, has written a poem summing up his feelings about the place, AP reports.

"Detroit, you hold what one's been seeking / Holding off the coward-armies weakling," reads a section of White's poem, which was published Sunday by the Detroit Free Press.

"The ... poem is the Detroit from my mind," said White, who also plays with The Raconteurs. "The Detroit that is in my heart. The home that encapsulates and envelops those who are truly blessed with the experience of living within its boundaries."

## Beach buddies

Jenny McCarthy and Jim Carrey made a splash on the 4th of July when they were photographed in Malibu wearing what looked like the same bathing suit. McCarthy wore a black one-piece at one point in the day, and Carrey was photographed wearing a similar suit later in the day, [usmagazine.com](http://usmagazine.com) reports.

## Spike's new project?

Spike Lee reportedly is gearing up to film a Broadway musical—possibly for a cable network—according to Variety. The industry news source cited online reports about the project based on the critically acclaimed musical, titled "Passing Strange," and confirmed with a production representative that filming would take place.

## Baby talk

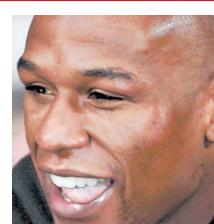
Pete Wentz is not only talking about his unborn child with Ashlee Simpson-Wentz—he's talking to it. "The Expectant Father" tells you that the woman, when she speaks, the baby hears her all the time," the Fall Out Boy rocker tells [people.com](http://people.com). "And the father's voice isn't familiar unless you talk to it, so I talk to it all the time."



## THE DIGIT

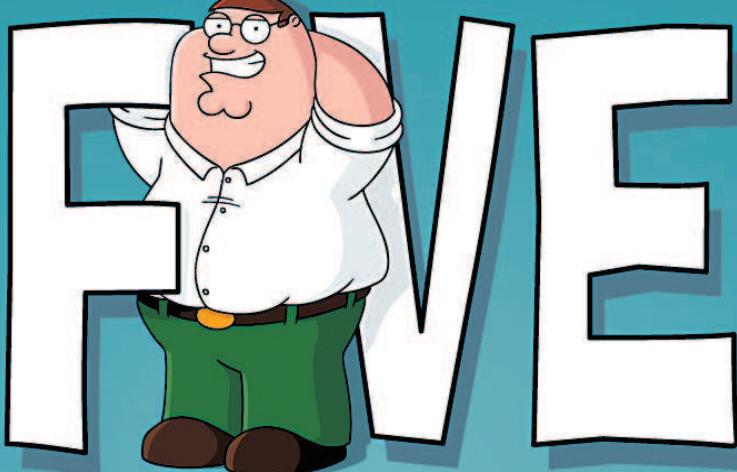
# \$30,000

That's the amount in \$100 bills that retired boxer Floyd Mayweather Jr. reportedly tossed to the crowd at a Lil Jon show in Grand Rapids, Mich., according to The Grand Rapids Press.



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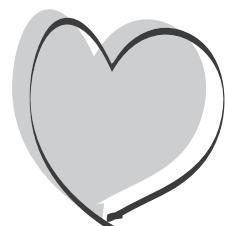
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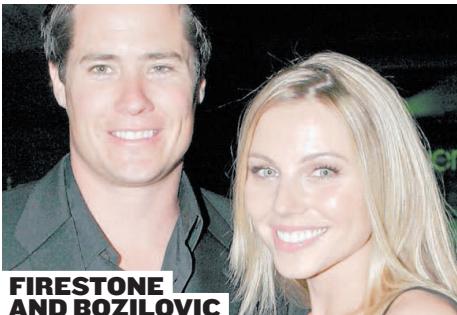
CANNON

In case you were wondering, Nick Cannon is still gushing over his marriage to Mariah Carey.

"It's amazing," Nick told Us Weekly late last week. "It's the best thing that's ever happened to me."

Perhaps so much so that Cannon is considering doing it again. Carey recently revealed to talk show host Ellen DeGeneres that "[Nick's] plan is to have one [wedding] every year."

We shudder just thinking about the flower bill.



## A 'Bachelor' no more

Ladies and gentlemen: At least one of ABC's "Bachelors" has de-bachelorized.

Andrew Firestone married Serbian model and actress Ivana Bozilovic on Saturday, Firestone's publicist told The Associated Press.

"We're so happy right now, we can hardly stand it," the couple said in a statement to **usmagazine.com**, which first reported the nuptials.

Firestone famously proposed to Chicagoan Jen Schefft on the third season of "The Bachelor," but the two later broke off the engagement, keeping the "Bachelor curse" alive and kicking.

MADONNA  
[AP FILE PHOTO]

## Madonna drama

More drama, more denials: After weeks of rumors, Madonna has spoken out about the gossip surrounding her marriage to Guy Ritchie and her friendship with New York Yankees slugger Alex Rodriguez.

"My husband and I are not planning on getting a divorce," the Material Girl said Sunday in a statement to **people.com**. "I am not romantically involved in any way with Alex Rodriguez. I have nothing to do with the state of his marriage or what



RITCHIE



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spiritual path he may choose to study."

Meanwhile, there was speculation that Cynthia Rodriguez, who married the baseball star in 2002, was expected to file for divorce Monday, according to media reports being tracked by The Associated Press.

All this comes on the heels of a denial from Madonna's publicist last week that said the singer's marriage was not on the rocks. Apparently the singer's camp isn't cherishing the extra tabloid attention.

## Have your people call my people



JAY-Z

Jay-Z managed to conquer Europe and win over a new fan along the way.

"For the record, I like Jay-Z," Oasis guitarist/songwriter Noel Gallagher told Britain's *Guardian* newspaper.

Quite a different tune the elder Gallagher brother is singing. He blasted the rapper as being unfit to headline the U.K.'s Glastonbury music festival, but Jay-Z took the stage June 28 and won him and other fans over with his set, which included an Oasis song.

For the record, Jay-Z isn't mad at his detractors. He recently told **mtv.com** he's not shutting the door on working with the Gallagher brothers.

"Anyone," he told **mtv.com** when asked who he'd be willing to work with. "Oasis as well ... it doesn't matter to me, I don't bear any grudge, it's all good."

### THE DIGIT

## \$66 million

Estimated amount that Will Smith's superhero flick "Hancock" earned over the weekend, it's first in movie theaters. It has earned an estimated \$107.3 million since opening Tuesday night.



### Super man

This isn't Smith's first movie to debut at No. 1 over the Fourth of July holiday. Including "Hancock," how many Smith movies have debuted atop the box-office charts over the holiday? Text "debut" and the number of your answer to 47383. You'll get a message in return telling you if you got the answer right or wrong.

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